# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*11th January* 1889.

**No. 10.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 14th and 18th December 1888 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 10th instant.

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**No. 11.**—The Government of India having sanctioned the annual formation for the next two years of three classes of 12 or 14 officers each at Bangalore for garrison instruction of Officers who have not yet qualified for promotion to squadron and wing commanders it has been decided to assemble the third course of Garrison Instruction for the two years 1889-90 on the 25th February and to hold the usual examination on the 26th May.

The prescribed return (India Army Form No. 75) of Officers recommended to attend this course referred to in para. 1323 (*d*), Army Regulations, India, Volume II, should be forwarded to this office not later that the end of the current month and in the event of no officer being recommended a report to that effect is to be made.

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**No. 12.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster Private No. 595, Mahomed Salar of the 32nd Regiment Madras Infantry, attached to the 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, in G.O.C. No. 442, dated 3rd September 1886, page 268, is permanently transferred to the 7th Regiment Madras Infantry.

**No. 13.**—It having been brought to notice, that the provisions of para. 1430, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, Discipline, regarding the selection of chargers at the Remount Depôt, Hosur, are not always complied with, and that officers are in the habit of proceeding to the Depôt at all hours, and without giving due notice to the Superintendent, of their intention to do so; the following subsidiary rules are published for information:—

(*a*) No selection will be permitted without production of the authority.

(*b*) Two days previous notice should be given in writing to the Superintendent.

(*c*) Selections can only be made on Wednesdays and then only during stable hours, viz., from 6 to 10 A.M., and from 3-30 to 6 P.M.

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**No. 14.**—Intimation has been received from Army Head Quarters in India that Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. L. Hime, has been transferred from the command of the Royal Artillery at Poona, to the command of the Royal Artillery, Madras District.

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**No. 15.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the name of Captain R. P. Grove, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment is substituted for that of Captain (now Major) W. F. Curteis, in the list of officers detailed for duty at their regimental depôts published in G.O.C. No. 370 of 1888.

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**No. 16.**—Lieutenant F. M. Shadwell, York and Lancaster Regiment, having been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is, under instructions from the Horse Guards, directed to proceed to England, with a view to his proceeding to the West Indies to join the 2nd Battalion of his Regiment to which he has been posted. To travel at the public expense, under para. 261, Transport Regulations, Part I, and clause *k*, para. 513, Part II.

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**No. 17.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment:—

3rd *Light Infantry*.—Lieutenant G. W. Lilly, wing officer, to be wing officer and Quarter Master. Dated 1st December 1888.

**No. 18.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 14th December* 1888.

It is notified for information that officers and others proceeding on duty to Upper Burma will not be permitted to take their families with them, without first obtaining the sanction of the General Officer Commanding there.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant R. Harman (Officiating Wing Officer on probation 4th Sikh Infantry), to Calcutta, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages.

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*1st Punjab Infantry.*—Colonel T. Higginson, for the 21st October 1888, in extension of ninety days' privilege leave.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 17th December* 1888.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

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*Royal Marine Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant R. C. O. Creagh (Officiating Wing Officer on probation, 5th Punjab Infantry), to Calcutta, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 21st December* 1888.

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The following officers having passed the examination laid down in para. 331, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, are qualified for appointment on the Regimental, general and personal Staff of the Army :—

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| Captain | R. H. C. Tufnell | ... | Madras Staff Corps. |
| ,, | F. G. Preston | ... | ,, ,, |
| ,, | J. H. Jones | ... | ,, ,, |
| ,, | H. Fitz L. Farrant | ... | ,, ,, |
| ,, | J. H. H. Ansley | .. | ,, ,, |
| ,, | G. W. Maxwell | ... | ,, ,, |
| ,, | R. C. Andrews | ... | ,, ,, |
| Lieutenant | G. J. Shaw | ... | ,, ,, |

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The undermentioned officers, non-commissioned officers and men, having passed an examination in Army Signalling according to the prescribed test are qualified as regimental signallers :—

*At Chakrata.*

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Private A. Holleron ... 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.
" G. George ... " " "

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*At Ranikhet.*

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Lance Corporal G. Wheeler ... Leicestershire Regiment.

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**No. 19.**—The following extracts from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,*
*28th December* 1888.

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579. Intimation has been received from Horse Guards of the following transfers and appointments in the Royal Artillery :—

I.—Colonel A. M. Rawlins, R. A., to Command the Royal Artillery, Poona District, in succession to Colonel on the Staff T. N. Holberton, who vacates the appointment on the 31st December 1888.

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IV.—Lieutenant-Colonel B. Vaughan-Arbuckle has been transferred from the Home to the Indian Establishment, and appointed to Command the Royal Artillery at Aden, in succession to Colonel W. E. Lockhart, who vacates the Command on the 31st December 1888.

V.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. R. Gambier, R. A., has been transferred from Meerut to Neemuch, to Command the Royal Artillery at that station.

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580. The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

*Royal Fusiliers (1st Battalion).*—Captain and Paymaster R. Meredith, for six months, on private affairs.

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**No. 20.**—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

*7th Hussars*—Captain H. M. Ridley, for $3\frac{1}{2}$ months, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

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# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*18th January* 1889.

**No. 21.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 21st and 25th December 1888, were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 17th instant.

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**No. 22.**—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, Captain A. L. Molesworth, just promoted to that rank from R Battery 1st Brigade, is directed to proceed from Belgaum to Madras to join No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division Royal Artillery, to which he has been posted.

Under para. 514 (*k*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 23.**—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, Riding Master W. Shipman, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed from Secunderabad to England for duty, on transfer to the home establishment.

Under para. 256 (*i*), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 513 (*b*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 24.**—With the sanction of Government the following redistribution of the 1st and 2nd Musketry districts is published :—

1st District to include the Bangalore, Madras and Southern Districts.

2nd District to include the Secunderabad and Belgaum Districts.

Consequent on this redistribution the Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, 3rd District, will cease to visit the stations on the Eastern Coast which hitherto have been included in his district.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 25.**—With the sanction of Government, the following movements, in relief of British and Native Troops, will take place during the Trooping Season, 1888-89, in modification of G.O.C. No. 381, and with reference to G.O.C. Nos. 464 and 514 of 1888:—

Dates of movements, &c., will be intimated separately.

| Corps, &c. | From | To | How to move. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Royal Artillery.* | | | |
| G Battery 2nd Brigade ... | Bellary (*a*) ... | England ... | By rail to Bombay. |
| 2nd Battery 1st Brigade Eastern Division. | Bengal Presidency ... | Rangoon (*b*) ... | By rail and sea. |
| 4th Battery 1st Brigade North Irish Division. | Fort St. George ... | Bombay ... | By rail. |
| 7th Battery 1st Brigade London Division. | England ... | Fort St. George ... | By rail from Bombay. |
| *British Infantry.* | | | |
| 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers... | Wellington & West Coast | England ... | By route march, rail and sea to Bombay. |
| 1st Battalion Norfolk Regt. ... | England ... | Wellington & West Coast | By sea, rail, &c., from Bombay. |
| 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers. | Lower Burma ... | Ranikhet (Bengal Presidency). | By rail, sea, &c. |
| 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment (*c*). | Lucknow (Bengal Presidency). | Thayetmyo { Hd. Qrs. & Wing<br>Myingyan, Upper Burma { Wing ... | By rail, sea, &c. |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment. | Secunderabad ... | Upper Burma (*d*) ... | By rail, sea, &c. |
| 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. | England ... | Secunderabad ... | By rail from Bombay. |
| 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers. | Upper Burma ... | Shahjahanpur (Bengal Presidency). | By river, sea, &c. |
| 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment. | Sitapur & Benares (Bengal Presidency). | Upper Burma (*e*) ... | By rail, sea, &c. |
| 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade ... | Upper Burma ... | Bareilly (Bengal Presidency). | By river, rail, sea, &c. |
| 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade (*c*) | Dinapore (Bengal Presidency). | Toungoo { Head Quarters and Wing. Meiktila (Upper Burma) } Wing... | By rail, sea, &c. |
| *Madras Cavalry.* | | | |
| 1st Lancers ... | Upper Burma ... | Secunderabad ... | By river, sea and rail. |
| 3rd Light Cavalry ... | Secunderabad ... | Bangalore ... | By route march. |

*N.B.*—Under the above arrangement, the 4/1st Lancashire Division Royal Artillery will not be moved this Trooping Season.

(*a*) Without relief.

(*b*) To complete the garrison of that station. The 2/1st Eastern Division Royal Artillery, will be located at Thayetmyo until accommodation sufficient for a second Garrison Battery is available at Rangoon.

(*c*) On ordinary relief scale, leaving no Depôts in India except Time-expired men and Invalids for England. Families accompany the Head Quarters of each of these Battalions.

(*d*) Transferred to the Bengal Establishment, *vice* 2nd Battalion Cheshire Regiment proceeding to England. Families to remain at Secunderabad.

(*e*) Families remain in India (Bengal Presidency) for the present.

| Corps, &c. | From | To | How to move. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Madras Infantry.* | | | |
| 5th Regiment (Head Quarters and Wing). | Berhampore ... | Cuttack ... | By route march. |
| 7th Regiment (Head Quarters and Wing). | Port Blair, &c., (*f*) ... | Toungoo ... | By sea, &c. |
| 16th Regiment ... | Upper Burma ... | Secunderabad ... | By rail, sea, &c. |
| 19th do. ... | Secunderabad ... | Upper Burma ... | By rail, sea, &c. |
| 20th do. ... | Kamptee ... | Bellary ... | By route march. |
| 23rd do. (Head Quarters and Wing). | Seetabuldi | Belgaum ... | By route march. |
| 23rd do. (Wing) ... | Hoshangabad | | |
| 24th do. (Head Quarters and Wing). | Raipur ... | Berhampore ... | By route march. |
| 30th do. (Head Quarters and Wing.) | Moulmein | Belgaum ... | By sea, &c., and rail. |
| 30th do. (Wing) ... | Toungoo | | |
| 33rd do. (Head Quarters and 5 Cos. | Belgaum ... | Moulmein ... | By rail and sea. |
| 33rd do. 3 Companies ... | Do. ... | Port Blair ... | |

(*f*) The Detachment of this Regiment at Camorta has been already withdrawn to Port Blair, and the Head Quarters and 1 Company from Port Blair to Rangoon.

**No. 26.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Riding Master J. Neill, Royal Artillery, has been transferred to the District Staff, Royal Artillery, Secunderabad District, *vice* Riding Master Shipman, transferred to the home establishment.

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**No. 27.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men are reported to have completed a special course of instruction at the First Class Gymnasium, Secunderabad, and to have obtained certificates as stated :—

| Corps. | Regtl. No. | Rank and Name. | | Certificates. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7th Hussars ... ... | 2943 | Lance-Copl. | A. Barrett ... | 1st Class. | |
| 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry ... | 2060 | do. ... | D. Driscoll ... | do. | |
| 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment ... ... | 856 | Sergeant ... | H. Crawford ... | do. | |
| 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry | 1359 | Lance-Sergt. | F. Fielding .. | do. | |
| | 1150 | Lance-Copl. | H. H. Dempoey... | do. | |
| 1st Madras Pioneers ... | 977 | Private ... | Veereppen ... | 1st Class. | For Gymnastics only. |
| 3rd Madras Light Infantry | 1359 | do. ... | Ram Mootee ... | do. | |
| Do. ... | 1077 | do. ... | Rubbel ... | 2nd Class. | |
| 4th Madras Pioneers ... | 2253 | do. ... | Andinarrinsamy... | do. | |
| 7th Madras Infantry ... | 1254 | do. ... | Muhammed Ali... | 1st Class. | |
| | 1199 | do. ... | Shaikh Badhan ... | do. | |
| 11th Madras Infantry... | 1118 | Naik ... | Kalunder Khan... | do. | |
| | 1212 | Private ... | Audiah ... | do. | |
| 12th Madras Infantry... | 3222 | Naik ... | Mahomed Jaffer... | do. | |
| | 3543 | Private ... | Shaikh Adam ... | do. | |
| 20th Madras Infantry ... | 1005 | do. ... | Shaikh Hassain ... | do. | |
| 21st Madras Infantry ... | 943 | do. ... | Mooneswamy ... | do. | |
| | 1488 | do. ... | Shaikh Ismail ... | do. | |
| 26th Madras Infantry ... | 1161 | do. ... | Shaikh Mustan ... | 2nd Class. | |
| 31st Light Infantry ... | 1605 | do. ... | Mustafa Khan ... | 1st Class. | |
| "Q. O." Sappers & Miners | 353 | Sapper ... | Syed Khan ... | 2nd Class. | |

**No. 28.**—The undermentioned officer is reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

*Trichinopoly, 28th December* 1888.

2nd Lieutenant G. V. Holmes, Essex Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

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**No. 29.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant M. R. Hurly, Royal Marine Light Infantry, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 27th December 1888.

*20th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant W. G. Nisbett, 2nd Battalion (The Queen's Royal West Surrey Regiment), to be officiating wing officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 4th January 1889.

*21st Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. A. F. Magrath, Royal Marine Light Infantry, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 3rd January 1889.

*26th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel J. W. S. Butler, second in command and officiating commandant, 9th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be officiating commandant, *vice* Colonel Hewetson on furlough.

To travel at the public expense, under the provisions of para. 514 (*j*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

*28th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. M. Dawes, wing officer and quarter master, to be adjutant. Dated 30th November 1888.

*30th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. D. Bayley, wing commander, to be second in command, *vice* Colonel FitzPatrick, who vacates under the provisions of G.O.G. No. 325 of 1885. Dated 1st January 1889.

*33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel E. Austin, second in command, to be commandant, *vice* Colonel S. F. M. T. Grant, who vacates on completing 7 years' tenure of command. Dated 27th December 1888.

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**No. 30.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant J. Kendall, wing officer, 7th Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

**No. 31.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 26th December* 1888.

Attention is invited to the following Army Orders, dated War Office, 1st November 1888 :—

Correction to Queen's Regulations.

A. O. 474.—Certificates of Education.

A. O. 475.—Recruiting.

A. O. 476.—Recruiting. Auxiliary Artillery Districts.

A. O. 477.—Discharge and Transfer.

A. O. 478.—Records of Service.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

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*Royal Engineers.*—The following Syllabus of the course of instruction to be undergone in 1889 by the continuous Indian Service Royal Engineer Officers, who will join the School of Military Engineering, Chatham, under para. 7 of the Royal Warrant of 20th February 1886, is published for the information of the officers concerned :—

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| (1) Preparation for and examination in subjects (a) and (b) for promotion to rank of Major ... | 1 month. |
| (2) Preparation for and examination in subjects (c) and (d) for promotion to rank of Major ... | 2 months. |
| (3) Tactical reconnaissance, mounted and dismounted, and astronomy ... | 21 days. |
| (4) Field works, including fortification, tours, and witnessing Gunnery Experiments at Lydd ... | 29 ,, |
| (5) Electricity, Firing Mines, Telegraphs, Lightning Conductors ... | 49 ,, |
| (6) Principles of Ballooning, Supply and Storage of gas ... | 7 ,, |
| (7) Chemical School, testing of gas and water, application of Photography, &c., to the reproduction of plans ... | 22 ,, |
| Leave and brushing up in any subject the officers may wish to go in for ... | 30 ,, |

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With reference to para. 27, section 22, Queen's Regulations, as amended by Army Orders 297 and 477 of 1888, it is notified for information that the documents therein mentioned will, in

the case of men discharged as invalids or with claims to pension, be called for by the Horse Guards and annexed to the discharge documents.

The discharge documents, in such cases, will therefore continue to be forwarded direct to Horse Guards instead of to the Secretary, Royal Hospital, Chelsea, as laid down in para. 4 of the instructions in Army Form B. 268.

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With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for War, the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange places on the Roster of Fereign Service —

*Army Pay Department.*

Honorary Captain R. Meredith, Paymaster, 1st Battalion Royal Fusiliers.

Honorary Captain G. F. Thunder, Paymaster, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.

In consequence of the above, Captain Thunder is transferred to the 1st Battalion, and Captain Meredith will return to England with the 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 2nd January* 1889.

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At the examinations held on the 1st November 1888 and following days, the undermentioned officers qualified as noted opposite their names :—

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| Capt. G. M. Griffin, (1) | Norfolk Regiment. | Examination in (c) and (d), Section IX, para. 39 (IV), Queen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Major. |
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| ,, H. F. M. Wilson, (1) (3) | Rifle Brigade. | |

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|---|---|---|
| Lieut. A. J. H. Luard, (1) (2). | Norfolk Regiment. | Examination in (c) and (d), Section IX, para. 39 (III), Queen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Captain. |
| ,, G. A. Bulkley | Leicestershire Regiment. | |
| ,, J. T. Carter, (1) (4). | ,, | |

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|---|---|---|
| Lieut. H. G. Sutton | Madras Staff Corps. | Examination in Part II, para. 331, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II. |

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(1) Distinguished in Military Law.
(2) ,, ,, Field Fortification.
(3) ,, ,, Military Topography.
(4) ,, ,, Tactics.

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**No. 32.**—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*Staff Corps.*—Lieutenant J. Thornhill, wing officer and Quarter Master, 6th Regiment Madras Infantry, for 58 days, from the 4th November 1888, under the Furlough Regulations of 1875, in extension of the 90 days' privilege leave granted him by the General Officer Commanding Upper Burma Force. India. Medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

*21st Hussars.*—2nd Lieutenant F. H. Cripps-Day, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*So much of G. O. C. No. 427 of 1888, as refers to Lieutenant Cripps-Day, is hereby cancelled.*

*Royal Horse Artillery.*—Lieutenant S. E. G. Lawless, H Battery B Brigade, for 6 months, on private affairs.

*Royal Artillery.*—Lieutenant G. F. Milne, Q Battery 1st Brigade, for 6 months, on private affairs.

*Medical Staff.*—Brigade-Surgeon F. Ferguson, M.D., for 6 months, on medical certificate.

Surgeon W. L. Lane, for 6 months, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*18th January* 1889.

Captain Edmund William Clark, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.

**No. 33.**—The detail of officers as mentioned below will assemble at Belgaum at such place and time as may be appointed by the General Officer Commanding the Belgaum District, for the purpose of trying by General Court Martial the prisoner named in the margin.

*President.*

Colonel F. S. Cherry, Cavalry, Commanding 4th (Prince of Wales' Own) Light Cavalry.

*Members.*

Colonel A. W. Foord, Staff Corps, Commanding 14th Regiment Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. B. Stopford, Commanding 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Major H. H. A. Cameron, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

Major S. G. Smyth, Royal Artillery, Commanding S/1 Royal Artillery.

Major A. P. Wodehouse, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

Major N. J. Nugent, Royal Artillery, Commanding R/1 Royal Artillery.

Brevet Major G. A. Ashby, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

Major C. F. H. Spencer, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

*Waiting Members.*

Captain A. R. Cole-Hamilton, 7th Hussars.

Captain T. G. Barclay, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

*Judge Advocate.*

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Swinton-Skinner, Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General.

The prisoner will be warned and all witnesses duly required to attend.

The proceedings will be forwarded to the Deputy Judge Advocate General, Head Quarters, Ootacamund.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*25th January* 1889.

**No. 34.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 564 of 1888, it is notified that Army Head Quarters will be re-established at Ootacamund on the 2nd proximo.

**No. 35.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 28th December 1888 and 1st January 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 23rd instant.

**No. 36.**—With reference to para. 851, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the descriptive Rolls therein referred to are to be furnished with the least possible delay, by the undermentioned regiments, from each of which one man will be detailed to join the class for instruction as Master Tailors, to be formed on the 1st April next.

2. The special attention of Commanding Officers is invited to the penultimate sentence of para. 850, Army Regulations, India, Volume II.

1st Madras Lancers.
5th Regiment Madras Infantry.
13th ,, ,, ,,
15th ,, ,, ,,
16th ,, ,, ,,
19th ,, ,, ,,
20th ,, ,, ,,
22nd ,, ,, ,,
27th ,, ,, ,,
29th ,, ,, ,,
32nd ,, ,, ,,
33rd ,, ,, ,,

**No. 37.**—Army Schoolmaster Martin Loftus, transferred from the Garrison School at Dover Castle to this Presidency, is posted for duty to the 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry at Bellary.

2. Army Schoolmaster W. A. Smith, temporarily doing duty with the 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry will, on his being relieved by Schoolmaster Loftus, proceed to Bareilly to rejoin the 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade.

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**No. 38.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to sanction an exchange of battalions between the officers named below, provided that the public be put to no expense by the arrangement :—

*Royal Fusiliers.*

Lieutenant H. H. Nicholson, 1st to 2nd Battalion.
,, C. T. Shipley, 2nd to 1st Battalion.

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**No. 39.**—Intimation has been received from the Director General of Military Education that 3rd Class Army Schoolmistress, Miss A. K. Gibbs, attached to the Royal Artillery at Secunderabad, has been promoted to the 2nd Class, with effect from the 1st September 1888.

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**No. 40.**—So much of G. O. C. No. 232 of 1887, as refers to 1st Grade Assistant Apothecary D. Wooten is hereby cancelled.

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**No. 41.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

*7th January* 1889.

*Belgaum.*

Lieutenant D. G. Stewart, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.
Lance-Corporal A. Mould, ,, ,, ,,

*Bellary.*

Private W. Fry, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

*Secunderabad.*

2nd Lieutenant E. G. Vaughan, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

*Vizianagrum*

2nd Lieutenant G. R. Oakes, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, Probationer Staff Corps.

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**No. 42.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Poonamallee Depôt.*—Major C. F. N. Le Quesne, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, to be Commandant, *vice* Major Gaulter, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment, proceeding to rejoin his Battalion in Upper Burma.

*14th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, East Lancashire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 11th January 1889.

*31st Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. G. Hodgson, wing officer, to be wing officer and Quarter Master. Dated 25th November 1888.

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**No. 43.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon J. Anderson, M.B., doing duty Station Hospital, Madras, to do duty Station Hospital, Bangalore.

To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 44.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 3rd January* 1889.

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Attention is invited to the following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st November 1888 :—

A. O. 473. Royal Warrant—Pay and Retirement of Veterinary Surgeons.

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant :—

2nd Lieutenant the Hon'ble J. G. H. H. Beresford ...7th Hussars.
,, C. R. J. Griffith ...Bedford. Regiment.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 4th January* 1889.

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The following Army Order (No. 479, dated 1st November 1888), is republished for information :—

OFFICERS' PASSAGES—INDIA.

The Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company have stated that, during certain months of the year, their steamers will not call at Madras, but passengers will be landed at Bombay, and forwarded by rail at the Company's expense to their destinations. Officers proceeding to the Madras Presidency, who may be ordered to proceed by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamers viâ Bombay, should, therefore, communicate with the Company's agent in London, and ascertain that their passages are booked through to their destinations, and should obtain a railway ticket from the Company to proceed accordingly.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 5th January* 1889.

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It is notified for general information that the provisions of Army Orders 293 and 474 of 1888, which require the possession of a 1st class certificate of education before promotion to the ranks specified therein, have been so far modified that non-commissioned officers will continue to be eligible for the next step of promotion above the rank they hold on the 1st January 1889 without the necessity of obtaining a 1st class certificate of education.

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The Adjutant General, Horse Guards, having brought to notice that instances have recently occurred of non-commissioned officers and men on arrival in England being erroneously sent to the depôts owing to the absence of proper instructions on their documents as to their disposal, the attention of Officers

Commanding Corps and Batteries is invited to the orders on this point contained in G. O. C. C.† of 1884, page 210.

2. Care is to be taken in future that every man's destination is clearly indicated to the authorities at the port of disembarkation in England; and it is to be borne in mind that no non-commissioned officer or man is to be sent to the depôt when there is a home Battalion of his regiment, unless he is specially ordered home for the purpose of going to the depôt.

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In continuation of G. O. C. C.,‡ dated 21st December 1888, page 555, it is notified that the undermentioned officers have also qualified for appointment on the Regimental, general and personal staff of the Army:—

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| Captain F. L. Jones ... | ... | Madras Staff Corps. |
| Lieutenant H. W. E. Georges ... | | " " " |

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The undermentioned officers passed the examination in Burmese by the Lower Standard on the dates specified against their names:—

Lieutenant O. J. Obbard, Leicestershire Regiment, probationer Bengal Staff Corps, 19th September 1888.

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**No. 45.**—The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

*2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. P. Braithwaite, for 9 months, on private affairs, from the 10th March 1889 or subsequent date of departure.

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† G.O.C. No. 418 of 1884, page 205. ‡ G.O.C. No. 18 of 1889, page 6.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Erratum.*—In S.G.O. No. 9 of 1889, for the heading "Forms" *read* "Volunteers—Returns."

GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*1st February* 1889.

**No. 46.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 4th and 8th January 1889, were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 31st ultimo.

**No. 47.**—The undermentioned officers and non-commissioned officers having undergone a course of instruction at the School of Musketry, Secunderabad, have been awarded certificates of qualification as noted opposite their names :—

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| Captain T. Hone, 7th "Queen's Own" Hussars | ... Extra. |
| Sergeant G. Willard, " | ... Sergeant Instructor. |
| Lieutenant D. Bowly, 21st Hussars | ... Extra. |
| Sergeant P. Welsh, " | ... Sergeant Instructor. |
| " A. English, " | ... " " |
| " J. Hooper, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers ... | ... " " |
| Lieutenant R. Brocklehurst, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry | Extra. |
| Color-Sergeant E. Staples " | ... Sergeant Instructor. |
| Sergeant E. Bath " | ... " " |
| Captain T. Hammond, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment | ... Extra. |
| Color-Sergeant W. Ruse, " | ... Sergeant Instructor. |
| Sergeant F. Bird, " | ... " " |

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| Lieutenant H. Sargeaunt, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment ... | Extra. |
| Color-Sergeant O. Graham, ,, ... | Sergeant Instructor. |
| Sergeant D. Clewley, ,, ... | ,, ,, |
| Color-Sergeant J. Devery, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers ... | ,, ,, |
| 2nd Lieutenant J. J. B. Jones-Parry, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry ... | Extra. |
| Sergeant D. Davies, ,, ... | Sergeant Instructor. |
| Captain A. D. B. Buckley, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment ... | Extra. |
| Color-Sergeant A. Fowler, ,, ... | Sergeant Instructor. |
| Sergeant J. Cook, ,, ... | ,, ,, |
| Lieutenant B. Upperton, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry | Extra. |
| Color-Sergeant T. Yoeman, ,, ... | Sergeant Instructor. |
| Lieutenant R. J. Ross, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment ... | Extra. |
| Color-Sergeant A. Paine, ,, ... | Sergeant Instructor. |
| Lance-Sergeant C. Sayers, ,, ... | ,, ,, |
| Lieutenant A. A. Jones, Madras Staff Corps | Extra. |
| ,, E. L. Holloway, ,, ... | ,, |
| ,, W. A. F. Burn, ,, ... | ,, |
| ,, C. V. Mainwaring, ,, ... | ,, |
| ,, G. B. Pounden, ,, ... | ,, |
| ,, H. T. Brooking, ,, ... | ,, |
| ,, A. H. Williams, ,, ... | ,, |
| ,, L. W. Y. Campbell, Derbyshire Regiment, Probationer, Madras Staff Corps ... | ,, |
| ,, F. T. Williams, Madras Staff Corps ... | ,, |
| ,, H. Thornton, ,, ... | ,, |
| ,, G. S. Fraser, Bengal Staff Corps (6th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent) ... ... | ,, |
| Sergeant Instructor T. W. Capel, Madras Railway Volunteers... | Sergeant Instructor. |
| ,, ,, W. Wortt, Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps | ,, ,, |

Subadar Ramchunder Rao, 2nd Madras Lancers ... Instructor.
Havildar Camder Sherrif, " ... "
" Syed Mahmood, " ... "
" Mahomed Ibrahim, 3rd Madras Light Cavalry ... "
Jemadar Maduray, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners ... "
" Sarungapany, " ... "
Havildar Masilamoney, " ... "
" Moorgasen, " ... "
Jemadar Kotiah, 2nd Madras Infantry ... "
Havildar Aroockium, " ... "
" Atchannah, " ... "
" Rungasamy Naidu, " ... "
Jemadar Mahomed Salar, 4th Madras Infantry Pioneers ... "
" Peddanah, " ... "
Havildar Mir Abass, " ... "
" Abdul Karim, 9th Madras Infy. "
" Maduramootoo, " ... "
Jemadar Shaik Ibrahim, 19th " ... "
Subadar Erranah, 23rd " ... "
Jemadar Mahomed Ghouse, " ... "
Havildar Venkets Awmy, " ... "
Jemadar Doorgiah 25th " ... "
Havildar Kolemdavailoo " ... "

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**No. 48.**—Attention is called to S. G. O. Nos. 53 and 67 of 1888, notifying the revision of Army Forms D-426 and B-128, and directing the destruction of the old stock. Copies of these forms issued prior to the above revision are not to be used in preparing discharge papers.

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**No. 49.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant E. H. Bland, Royal Engineers, is brought on the strength of the Indian Establishment with effect from the 3rd December 1888, the date of his embarkation for India.

**No. 50.**—Colonel C. J. Stuart, Madras Staff Corps, late Deputy Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Madras, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Commander-in-Chief, is permitted to reside at Waltair under the provisions of para. *b*, clause 37, India Army Circulars 1887. Dated 12th January 1889.

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**No. 51.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Elementary Standard in Burmese:—

*Rangoon, 5th and 6th November* 1888.

Conductor J. Haddock, Commissariat Department.

*Mandalay, 4th December* 1888.

Lieutenant B. A. James, Royal Engineers.

Surgeon D. R. Hamilton, M.B., Medical Staff.

Naik Munasmi, Burma Sappers and Miners.

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**No. 52.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names:—

21*st and* 22*nd January* 1889.

*Quilon.*

Lieutenant H. E. Pritchard, Staff Corps, — Higher Standard.

2nd Lieutenant H. M. Allen, Welsh Regiment, Probationer Staff Corps, — Higher Standard.

*Belgaum.*

Lieutenant J. W. Drever, Staff Corps, — Higher Standard.

*Bellary.*

Lieutenant H. B. Walker, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, — Higher Standard.

*Cannanore.*

Lieutenant N. R. McMahon, 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, — Higher Standard.

*7th January* 1889.

*Pokoko.*

Lieutenant W. T. W. Scott, Bedfordshire Regiment, Probationer Staff Corps.

*Meiktila.*

Lieutenant B. Trydell, 2nd West India Regiment, Probationer Staff Corps.

Surgeon T. W. Stewart, Indian Medical Service.

*Rangoon.*

2nd Lieutenant V. R. Pigott, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.

*Bangalore.*

2nd Lieutenant F. Bruce, Welsh Regiment, Probationer Staff Corps.

Sergeant Instructor in Gymnastics J. V. Laughton, 21st Hussars.

Private M. J. Nunan, 21st Hussars.

Corporal M. Campion, Royal Engineers.

Sergeant A. Bridgewater, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

Lance-Corporal W. McCarthy, ,, ,, ,,

Schoolmistress H. I. Richards, Army School Department.

(Lower Standard.)

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**No. 53.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant L. I. Wood, 2nd Battalion Border Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 21st January 1889.

*9th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant L. R. Tuson, wing officer, to be wing officer and Quarter Master. Dated 4th January 1889.

*17th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant W. R. Stone, Lancashire Fusiliers, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 22nd January 1889.

**No. 54.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenants H. A. Moore, 26th Regiment Madras Infantry, and C. D. Sandford, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon M. Kelly, M.D., on arrival from England, to do duty Station Hospital, Bangalore. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Surgeon D. R. Hamilton, M.B., doing duty Station Hospital, Bangalore (now at Madras), to do duty Madras District.

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**No. 55.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 24th December* 1888.

The Commander-in-Chief desires to call the special attention of General Officers Commanding Districts, and Commanding Officers of Stations and Corps, to the subject of Field Firing, and to the great benefit to be derived therefrom in the practical training of troops, by bringing directly home to the minds of all ranks the telling results to be obtained by the fire of the several arms individually and collectively under different service conditions.

The requirements of active service should, therefore, as far as possible, be observed during the conduct of Field Firing, and the movements of the several arms should, when practicable, be carried out as they would be on the field of battle.

The several stages of the attack and defence should also be distinctly marked, and when it is not possible to employ artillery, the attack should always be prepared by long range infantry fire, which should be delivered by volleys from an appreciable number of men, not less than half a Company.

During an advance the development and direction of Infantry fire should be determined as circumstances and the ground permit. It should generally be carried out under service conditions; and, when practicable, thorough and systematic endeavours should also be made to ascertain the comparative results of varied descriptions of fire, such as flanking, frontal, collective, individual, plunging, and inclined fires. Where the necessary

ammunition is available Field Firing might first be practised deliberately as a means of instruction, and subsequently carried into effect during an operation under the orders of Captains of Companies.

The successful conduct of Field Firing operations demands the highest training, both from officers and men; too great a stress cannot be laid on "fire discipline," and it is absolutely necessary that Officers Commanding Companies should realize the fact that after aimed firing once commences on their entering the third zone, viz, from about 800 to 200 yards from the enemy's position, the responsibility of seizing all the vantage grounds in their immediate front, and bringing a fire of the most telling description to bear on the enemy rests mainly with them, and that the battle is consequently almost entirely in their hands.

The Commander-in-Chief is aware that the amount of ammunition available for Field Firing is limited, but His Excellency nevertheless hopes that every endeavour will be made to utilize it to the best advantage.

Sir Frederick Roberts cannot impress too strongly on General, and other Officers Commanding Stations and Corps, the importance of all "general ideas," in connection with Field Firing being based on the requirements of war. Consequently, no frontal attack will, as a rule, be carried out unless it is combined with a flank movement, even though the nature of the ground may necessitate this movement being merely indicated by representative parties firing blank ammunition.

In order to arrive at the best mode of carrying out these exercises, and at the same time to allow of the several commands being made acquainted with the results obtained elsewhere, the Commander-in-Chief intends to publish a selected number of the reports submitted in connection with the Field Firing executed in the Bengal Presidency during the current year, 1888-89, and His Excellency sincerely trusts that every Commander will do his utmost to ensure the best and most practical results in this very important part of a soldier's training, viz., thorough efficiency when in the immediate vicinity of the enemy.

Field Firing reports will invariably be accompanied by the remarks of the General Officer, whether they have been carried out in his presence or not, and the reports should be despatched with all documents connected with the experiments and operations in question, so as to reach the office of the Adjutant General in India, Simla, not later than the end of April 1889.

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 10th January* 1889.

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The undermentioned officers, non-commissioned officers and men having passed an examination in Army Signalling at Chakrata, according to the prescribed test, are qualified as regimental signallers :—

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| Private R. Watts | ...2nd Norfolk Regiment. |
| ,, W. Skinner | ... ,, ,, ,, |
| * | * * |
| ,, A. Ansell | ...4th Rifle Brigade. |
| ,, B. Gardiner | ... ,, ,, ,, |

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 16th January* 1889.

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It is notified for general information that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to approve, should the exigencies of the service permit, of passes being granted to all soldiers of the Jewish persuasion who may be desirous of observing the undermentioned festivals :—

Passover 1889—

April 16th, 17th, 22nd, 23rd.

Feast of Weeks—

June 5th and 6th.

New Year—

September 26th and 27th.

Day of Atonement—

October 5th.

Feast of Tabernacles—

October 10th, 11th, 17th and 18th.

The following notification as to the conditions under which correspondence and other postal articles may be sent between India and the Lushai Expeditionary Force, is published for general information :—

*From India to the Field.*

*Mode of addressing correspondence.*—Correspondence posted in India for delivery in the field should be adressed as follows :—

A. B.,

Regiment, Battery, or Office.

Lushai Expeditionary Force,

*without the addition of any post town.*

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**No. 56.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,*
18*th January* 1889.

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33. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, viz. :—

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Persian—*According to the first Division of the Degree of Honor.*

Sergeant-Instructor W. J. Prendergast, Hyderabad Volunteer Rifles.

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36. The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*Royal Artillery.*—Colonel A. M. Rawlins, to remain in England till the sailing of the last troopship of the present trooping season, viz., 27th February 1889.

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**No. 57.**—Leave of absence :—

*Medical Staff.*—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant Surgeon B. A. Maturin, leave of absence, in extension, from the 29th January 1889, to date of re-embarkation for India, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*—Major A. J. Molloy, for one year, to Europe, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

*2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. R. Davies, for one year, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England, viâ, Japan and America, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

*Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—Major J. A. Strachan, for one year, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*8th February* 1889.

**No. 58.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 11th and 15th January 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 7th instant.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 59.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 25 of 1889, the Depôt, 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment, will be transferred from Sitapur to Mandalay, during the current month.

2. The relief of the 3rd Madras Cavalry, by the 1st Madras Lancers this season, is hereby cancelled. The 1st Madras Lancers will therefore be despatched to Bangalore instead of to Secunderabad on arrival from Burma.

**No. 60.**—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel A. Swinton, just promoted to that rank from M Battery B Brigade Royal Horse Artillery, and posted to the Home Establishment, is directed to proceed to England, and, on arrival, to report himself, in writing, to the Deputy Adjutant General, Royal Artillery, Horse Guards, for further instructions.

Under para. 513 (*c*), Transport Regulations, Part II, and para. 256 (*c*), Transport Regulations, Part I.

**No. 61.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following postings, &c., of Royal Artillery Officers :—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. C. H. Parlby, just promoted to that rank, has been posted to the 2nd Brigade and ordered to join at Newbridge.

Major W. A. Eden, L Battery 4th Brigade, has been appointed to H Battery B Brigade.

Major W. W. Smith, J Battery 1st Brigade, has been appointed to M Battery B Brigade.

Captain A. M. C. Dale, R Battery 1st Brigade, who has recently completed the Firemaster's Course at Woolwich, has been posted to the Depôt, London Division.

Captain G. H. McLaughlin, from the Depôt, London Division, has been posted to R Battery 1st Brigade.

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**No. 62.**—Lieutenant P. Hawkes, No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division, has been superseded for absence without leave, and is to be struck off the strength of that battery accordingly.

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**No. 63.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

*25th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. H. Williams, Yorkshire Light Infantry, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 27th January 1889.

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**No. 64.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*10th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel A. Anderson, 8th Regiment Madras Infantry, and Lieutenant E. J. P. Warden, 17th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*17th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. G. Hodgson, 31st Regiment Light Infantry, to be attached to the regiment until further orders.

To travel on duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (*j*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

**No. 65.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 19th January* 1889.

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Attention is invited to the following Army Orders, dated War Office, 1st December 1888 :—

Corrections to Queen's Regulations—

A. O. 506.—Duties in Garrison.

A. O. 507.—Recruiting.

A. O. 508.—Defaulter Sheets.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The Commander-in-Chief directs that, in future, applications from Officers Commanding battalions of Native Infantry for the retransfer of reservists to the colours shall clearly set out the circumstances under which the man's transfer to the reserve originally took place, as well as his reasons for desiring to be retransferred; his character and the Commanding Officer's opinion whether his re-transfer to the colours is in all respects desirable.

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General Officers Commanding are requested to be good enough to forward to the Adjutant General's Office, Simla,† copies of the certificates granted to Staff Corps officers on their passing Part I of the examination laid down in para 331, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, as soon after the examination has taken place as possible.

Copies of certificates relating to examinations which have already been held and which have not been submitted to Army Head Quarters, should now be submitted without delay.

It is further notified that the provisions of the last clause‡ of para. 338, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, will be strictly enforced in future; an officer must therefore be required to pass Part I before his name is submitted for a garrison class.

‡Part I must be passed before an officer can present himself for examination in Part II.

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† Ootacamund.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to appoint Captain A. C. MacDonnell, R.E., "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, to officiate as Garrison Instructor, Bangalore, during the absence on leave of Captain E. C. Bethune. Dated 10th November 1888.

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**No. 66.**—Leave of absence :—

*Medical Staff.*—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant Surgeon S. C. Philson, leave of absence, in extension, from 22nd January to 21st July 1889. On medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Royal Artillery.*—Lieutenant F. Vans-Agnew, M Battery 2nd Brigade, to Nirmul, from the 1st March 1889, or date of departure, to 30th June 1889, private affairs.

*Royal Horse Artillery.*—Lieutenant A. H. Hussey, H Battery B Brigade, to Nirmul, from the 6th March to the 15th May 1889, private affairs.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Deputy Surgeon-General W. Farquhar, M.D., Southern District, ninety days' accumulated privilege leave, from the 7th February 1889, or date of departure.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

*2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.*—Lieutenant G. A. Bulkley, for one year, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

*Addendum 4th February 1889.*—To G.O.C. No. 33 of 1889, *add* before "the prisoner will be warned, &c.," "Captain Prickard, 2nd Class District Staff Officer, has been appointed prosecutor."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
15*th February* 1889.

**No. 67.**—Army Head Quarters will be established at Madras on the 23rd instant and at Rangoon on the 11th proximo.

All correspondence will as usual be addressed to Ootacamund.

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**No. 68.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 18th and 22nd January 1889, were received at Army Head Quarters on the 14th instant.

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**No. 69.**—A Committee consisting of :—

Colonel E. H. Eyre, 1st Pioneers,
Colonel D. T. Hatchell, 21st Madras Infantry,
Lieutenant-Colonel D. J. S. McLeod, *D.S.O.*, 3rd Light Cavalry,

will assemble at Secunderabad on the 20th February 1889 to consider and report on a subject that will be laid before it.

Such of the officers named as are not at Secunderabad will travel to and fro on duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (*d*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

The Proceedings when completed to be forwarded to the Quarter Master General.

**No. 70.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 11 of 1889, the undermentioned officers will attend the course of Garrison Instruction at Bangalore commencing on the 25th February 1889:—

| Corps. | Rank and Name. |
|---|---|
| 21st Hussars ... ... | Lieut. J. G. Fair. |
| 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry. | ,, S. L. V. Crealock. |
| 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | ,, S. Nicholson. |
| 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | ,, E. M. Childers. |
| 1st Madras Lancers, Staff Corps... | Capt. A. P. Westlake, *D.S.O.* |
| 2nd ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, H. Eardley-Wilmot. |
| 8th Madras Infantry, ,, ... | ,, C. W. W. Burton. |
| 22nd ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, L. J. Torrie. |
| 29th ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, H. S. Hudson. |

Officers from out-stations will travel on duty at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 213 (*g*), and Part II, para. 514 (*i*).

*N.B.—All officers must be medically examined and reported fit to undergo the course.*

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**No. 71.**—The non-commissioned officers named below have been awarded silver medals for "long service and good conduct" *without gratuity* under the provisions of Articles 1468 to 1485-A, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I:—

P. M. G. No. 866, dated 4th February 1889.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor James Astlett, Madras Railway Volunteers.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor William Cooke, Burma State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Barrack Sergeant George Drew, Barrack Department.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor Edwin Kimberley, Madras Railway Volunteers.

2nd Class Sergeant Instructor William Smith, Rangoon Volunteer Rifles.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor Michael Wooley, Madras Railway Volunteers.

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**No. 72.**—Captain J. C. Allen, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, now at the Depôt, Wellington, is directed to rejoin his regiment for duty. Travelling at the public expense.

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**No. 73.**—G. O. C. No. 8 of 1889, posting Lieutenant J. W. Drever, wing officer, 33rd Regiment Madras Infantry, to the 3rd Regiment Light Infantry, is cancelled.

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**No. 74.**—2nd Lieutenant F. E. Paulet, 21st Hussars, attached to the 3rd Regiment Light Cavalry, who has been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is directed to rejoin his regiment, pending orders from His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his final disposal.

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**No. 75.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*Mandalay*, 16*th January* 1889.

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| Captain C. M. T. Western, Royal Artillery ... | Higher Standard. |
| Lieutenant S. R. Stevens, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps. | |
| " R. H. Dewing, Staff Corps ... | |

*Shwebo*, 7*th January* 1889.

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|---|---|
| Lieutenant R. T. Anwyl-Passingham, South Wales Borderers, Probationer, Staff Corps. | Lower Standard. |
| 2nd Lieutenant F. N. Burton, Royal Munster Fusiliers, Probationer, Staff Corps. | |

**No. 76.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Personal Staff.*—Subadar Major Venket Row, "*Sirdar Bahadur*," 2nd Madras Lancers, officiating Native Aide de-Camp, is confirmed in that appointment.

*1st Madras Lancers.*—Lieutenant O. G. Ievers, officiating squadron officer, 3rd Light Cavalry, is transferred in the same capacity and will join the Depôt of the Regiment.

*3rd Light Cavalry.*—Lieutenant J. Vans-Agnew, officiating squadron officer, to be squadron officer, to fill an existing vacancy and will be graded next above Lieutenant Logan-Home.

Lieutenant F. R. M. C. Mauduit, officiating squadron officer, to be squadron officer, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Lieutenant Georges, squadron commander, sub. *pro tem.*

2nd Lieutenant E. Wintour, officiating wing officer (on probation), 26th Madras Infantry, to officiate as squadron officer, *vice* Lieutenant Ievers transferred to 1st Madras Lancers.

*4th Light Cavalry.*—Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, officiating squadron officer, 3rd Light Cavalry, is transferred in the same capacity.

*15th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, officiating wing officer (on probation), 14th Madras Infantry, and Lieutenant J. W. Orchard, officiating wing officer (on probation), 20th Madras Infantry, are transferred in the same capacity.

*20th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant J. W. Orchard, Bedfordshire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 27th January 1889.

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**No. 77.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major P. R. Gabbett, on arrival from England, to do duty North Station Hospital, Secunderabad. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon E. R. C. Butler, doing duty Veterinary Hospital, St. Thomas' Mount, to do duty Veterinary Hospital, Secunderabad. To travel at the public expense, under para. 514 (*j*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

No. 78.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 26th January 1889.*

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In continuation of G. O. C. C.,† dated 29th November 1888, page 515, it is notified for information of Officers Commanding British Corps that a new form of muster roll (Army Form N 1493, "Troop, battery or company muster roll") has been introduced‡ into India, and will be taken into use from 1st July 1889 inclusive, from which date the rolls are to be despatched half-yearly on the 1st July and 1st January in each year by the Officers Commanding Corps direct to the Under-Secretary of State for War, in accordance with paragraphs 13 and 13*a*, section VII of the Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army, 1885, as amended by War Office Army Order No. 230, dated 1st June 1888.

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The following extract from Army Order, dated War Office, 1st December 1888, is republished for information :—

*A. O. 509.—Foreign Languages.*

The undermentioned officers are qualified to be interpreters in the languages stated against their names, having attained the standard required by General Order 12 of 1887, as amended by General Order 131 of that year :—

| Rank and Name. | Corps. | Languages. |
|---|---|---|
| * * * | * * | * |
| Captain Wyliie, J. A. ... | Madras Staff Corps ... | Portuguese. |
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† G.O.C. No. 561 of 1888, pages 351 and 352.

‡ *Vide* S.G.O. No. 2 of 1889.

**No. 79.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Staff Corps.*—Colonel A. T. Woodhouse, wing commander, 29th Regiment Madras Infantry, for 182 days, from the 8th February 1889, under Rule XXVI of the Furlough Regulations of 1868, in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. No. 365 of 1888. India. Medical certificate.

*Royal Artillery.*—Major H. Brackenbury, No. 8 (Heavy) Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division, to Pachmari and adjacent stations, from the 15th March to the 15th June 1889. Private affairs.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.*—Lieutenant L. S. B. Dunbar, for one year, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*15th February* 1889.

**No. 80.**—At a General Court-Martial assembled at Belgaum on the 4th day of February 1889, Captain Edmund William Clark, 2nd Battalion The Prince Albert's Somersetshire Light Infantry was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline,

in that,

at Belgaum, on the 25th of October 1888, when in the anteroom of the mess of his Battalion, and desirous of obtaining the use of the writing table therein, at which Captain Charles Warren Napier, of the same Battalion, was seated, he forcibly overthrew the chair upon which the said Captain Charles Warren Napier was sitting, by reason and in consequence of which Captain Charles Warren Napier was thrown to the ground, and addressed the said Captain Charles Warren Napier in the following words :—

" * * * * ."

*Second Charge.*—Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline,

in that,

at Belgaum, on the 25th of October 1888, when in the anteroom of the mess of his Battalion, he addressed the following words to Lieutenant Lionel Wodehouse Fox, of the same Battalion,
" * * * * "
or words to that effect.

FINDING.

The Court find that the Prisoner, Captain Edmund William Clark, 2nd Battalion The Prince Albert's Somersetshire Light Infantry, is guilty of all the charges.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentence the Prisoner, Captain Edmund William Clark, 2nd Battalion The Prince Albert's Somersetshire Light Infantry, to be severely reprimanded.

Signed at Belgaum this 4th day of February 1889.

(Sd.) F. S. CHERRY, COLONEL,
*4th "P.W.O." Madras Light Cavalry,*
*President.*

Confirmed. Captain E. W. Clark, is hereby severely reprimanded and will be released from his arrest and return to his duty.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, LIEUT.-GENL.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

OOTACAMUND,
*February 11th*, 1889.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*22nd February* 1889.

**No. 81.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 25th and 29th January 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 21st instant.

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**No. 82.**—It is notified for information that extracts from Army Regulations, India, Volume II, Discipline, of portions affecting the Native Army, in the Hindustani, Tamil and Telugu languages are now in the Press; and copies can be obtained on payment on application to the Examiner in Hindustani, Madras. Price four annas per copy, including postage.

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Adjutant General, Ootacamund.
Superintendent, Army Clothing, Madras.
Inspector General of Ordnance, Madras.

**No. 83.**—It is notified for information that a sealed pattern crimson silk cord with brass eyelets for officers whistles, is deposited in the marginally noted offices.

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**No. 84.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, it is notified for information that an officer can only be allowed to pass for the grade immediately above that to which he belongs; and that therefore a 2nd Lieutenant cannot be permitted to present himself for examination in subjects (*c*) and (*d*) for promotion to the rank of Captain.

**No. 85.**—2nd Class Army Schoolmaster Naigue No. 1338 Mahomed Tahir of the 13th Regiment Madras Infantry, temporarily transferred to the 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, in G.O.C. No. 405 of 1886, is remanded to his own Corps on public grounds.

To join the Depôt of the 13th Regiment Madras Infantry at Bellary.

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**No. 86.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster Private No. 1709 Hussain Khan of the 16th Regiment Madras Infantry, is temporarily transferred to the 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, on public grounds. To join.

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**No. 87.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster Private No. 1309 Mahalingum of the 25th Regiment Madras Infantry, is temporarily transferred to the Depôt of the 15th Regiment Madras Infantry, on public grounds.

To join the Depôt of the 15th Regiment Madras Infantry at Vellore.

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**No. 88.**—The publication in G. O. G. and in G. O. C. of the grant of subsidiary leave to officers proceeding on furlough or leave out of India will in future be discontinued. Such leave will be given by General Officers Commanding Districts, according to circumstances of each case up to the maximum period allowed by regulations.

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**No. 89.**—The name of Captain E. E. MacMahon, 5th Regiment Madras Infantry, is added to the list of officers detailed to attend a course of Garrison Instruction in G. O. C. No. 70 of 1889.

To travel on duty at the public expense.

**No. 90.**—The name of Lieutenant J. G. Fair, 21st Hussars, is removed from the list of officers detailed to attend a course of Garrison Instruction in G.O.C. No. 70 of 1889.

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**No. 91.**—The undermentioned officer is reported to have passed the Elementary Standard in Burmese :—

*Shwebo, 8th January* 1889.

Lieutenant F. Wyllie, Madras Staff Corps, 4th Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent.

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**No. 92.**—The undermentioned officer is reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani :—

*Pyawbwe, Upper Burma, 22nd January* 1889.

Lieutenant E. W. Carrick, Staff Corps.

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**No. 93.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*14th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. V. Mainwaring, wing officer and officiating Adjutant, is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 30th October 1888.

*17th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant E. H. Boome, South Lancashire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 11th February 1889.

*19th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant G. W. Johnson, King's Own Scottish Borderers, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 28th January 1889.

*28th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant G. K. Swettenham, Royal Irish Fusiliers, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 4th February 1889.

**No. 94.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major N. B. Major, senior medical officer of the Station Hospital, Cannanore, to be senior medical officer, South Station Hospital, Secunderabad.

Surgeon C. Quarry, in medical charge Station Hospital, Malapuram, to the medical charge of the Station Hospital, Cannanore.

Surgeon H. J. McLaughlin, M.B., doing duty Madras District, to the medical charge of the Station Hospital, Malapuram.

To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 95.**—The following extract from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, is republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 5th February* 1889.

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Military Department letter No. 122-D., dated 11th January 1889.

In continuation of G. O. C. C.,† dated 3rd September 1888, page 361, it is notified that Government have sanctioned the issue of cooking utensils for two messes per Battalion of Infantry and one mess per Regiment of Cavalry for the use of the separate messes for the Bandsmen and Drummers or Trumpeters.

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† G.O.C. No. 405 of 1888, page 261.

**No. 96.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished:—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 8th February* 1889.

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67. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troop-ship "*Euphrates*" on or about the 6th March 1889:—

| CORPS OR BATTERIES. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Staff. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. Wives. | Officers' Families. Children. | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Destination. | REMARKS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *From England.* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| "Q" Battery 1st Brigade R. A.... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 25 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | Secunderabad. | |
| "R" Do. 1st do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 22 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Belgaum. | |
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| No. 7 London Division........... | ... | Four | Three | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Fort St. George. | |
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| 1/ Norfolk Regt.................. | ... | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 4 | 1 | 177 | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | Cannanore.† | |
| * * * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| *From Gibraltar.* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1/ Norfolk Regt.................. | 4 | 3 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 28 | 14 | 645 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 39 | 68 | Cannanore.† | |

† Wellington, &c.

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**No. 97.**—The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England:—

*Royal Artillery.*—Captain A. L. Molesworth, No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division, for six months, on medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon R. J. Geddes, M.B., for 182 days, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Erratum.*—In line 2 of G. O. C. No. 50 of 1889, *for* "Deputy Superintendent, Revenue Survey," *read* "Deputy Commissioner, Revenue Settlement."

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
1st *March* 1889.

**No. 98.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 1st and 5th February 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 28th ultimo.

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**No. 99.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, it is notified for the information and guidance of Officers Commanding British Corps, that soldiers who confessed under the Royal Proclamation, promulgated with G.O.C. No. 397 of 1887, pages 243, 244 and 245, to fraudulent enlistment or desertion, have forfeited all previous service up to *the date of the order under which they were held to serve* (*vide* G.O.C. No. 566 of 1887, pages 366 and 367). The expression, viz., "*the date of the order under which they were held to serve,*" is intended in the case of soldiers who *while serving* confessed to fraudulent enlistment or desertion under the Royal Proclamation, to correspond with the expression, viz., "*the date of their confessions.*"

2. The dates of all letters issued from the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund, granting the Queen's pardon to the class of men in question, will be altered accordingly to correspond with the dates on which the men confessed, and the services of these men will be forfeited up to those dates only.

3. This order does not affect soldiers whose service has been restored under Army Order 72 of 1888 (*vide* G. O. C. No. 214 of 1888, page 118).

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(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 100.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 25 of 1889, it is hereby notified that, under the orders of Government, the move of the wing, 23rd Madras Infantry, from Hoshungabad to Belgaum, has been postponed till next trooping season.

**No. 101.**—With reference to S. G. O. No. 10 of 1889, the next course of three months' instruction for junior officers of Native Cavalry Regiments will commence on 1st April 1889. One equitation class will be formed with the 21st Hussars at Bangalore.

General Officers are requested to arrange that as many unqualified officers of Native Cavalry be made available to attend this class as possible, and to send their names to the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund, not later than 15th March 1889.

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P. M. G. No. 1266, dated 20th February 1889.

**No. 102.**—The non-commissioned officers named below have been awarded silver medals for "long service and good conduct" *without gratuity* under the provisions of Articles 1468 to 1485-A, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I:—

Store Sergeant Noah Graham, Ordnance Department.

Sergeant Frederick Grist, Commissariat Department.

Store Sergeant Patrick Sweeney, Ordnance Department.

Store Sergeant George Warnes, Ordnance Department.

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**No. 103.**—Major (Colonel) G. Swinley, Royal Artillery, will, on completion of the tenure of his appointment as District Staff Officer, 1st Class, Bangalore District, do general duty at Bangalore, as a temporary measure.

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**No. 104.**—Lieutenant M. W. De La Poer Beresford, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, is detailed for duty at the Wellington Depôt in the room of Lieutenant G. W. T. Prowse, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, who is directed to rejoin his Battalion, for duty.

These officers will travel on duty at the public expense.

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**No. 105.**—2nd Lieutenant E. G. Vaughan, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, is directed to proceed to Poonamallee for duty at the depôt, in relief of Lieutenant S. L. V. Crealock, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, who has been detailed to attend a course of Garrison Instruction.

2nd Lieutenant Vaughan will travel on duty at the public expense.

**No. 106.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant leave of absence to Lieutenant O. K. Tancock, I Battery 3rd Brigade Royal Artillery, from the 21st February to the 20th May 1889, in extension, on the recommendation of a medical board.

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**No. 107.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Persian :—

*Secunderabad, 21st January* 1889.

Captain F. L. Jones, Staff Corps, 3rd Light Cavalry.
Private W. Bottomley, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

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**No. 108.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel F. H. Vanderzee, second in command, 24th Madras Infantry, at present officiating in command, 11th Madras Infantry, to officiate as commandant.

*26th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant F. T. Williams, wing officer and officiating Quarter Master, to be wing officer and Quarter Master. Dated 1st December 1888.

*30th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain R. H. C. Tufnell wing officer, to be wing commander, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Bayley appointed second in command; remaining seconded while employed as Adjutant, Madras Volunteer Guards. Dated 1st January 1889.

Lieutenant J. A. G. Rainsford, wing officer (sub. *pro tem.*), to be wing officer, *vice* Captain Tufnell appointed wing commander.

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**No. 109.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon H. H. Brown, M.B., doing general duty Burma District (now at Madras), to do duty Madras District.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon D. Simpson, M.B., on expiration of sick leave to do duty Madras District.

**No. 110.**—The name of Captain A. B. Murray, 28th Madras Infantry, is added to the list of officers detailed to attend a course of garrison instruction in G.O.C. No. 70 of 1889, and that of Lieutenant S. Nicholson, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, removed therefrom.

Captain Murray will travel on duty at the public expense.

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**No. 111.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 5th February* 1889.

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It having been brought to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief that excessively deep marking of leather is, in many instances, the cause of the premature condemnation of accoutrements and harness and saddlery in possession of Corps; and also that many tangent scales belonging to Batteries of Artillery have become much worn, owing to the practice of polishing them, the attention of Officers Commanding is invited to Army Regulations, India, Vol. III, Equipment, paras. 491 and 504, and to para. 21, Appendix XI.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 13th February* 1889.

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The Commander-in-Chief desires to invite the attention of General Officers Commanding Districts and officers commanding corps to the necessity for completing the annual Musketry course for the current season by the 31st March next. Inconvenience and delay in the preparation of the annual report is caused in cases where the Musketry course is extended beyond the official year, and His Excellency trusts that all corps will be able to complete their Musketry training in sufficient time to permit of the returns being completed and rendered on the dates laid down in the Regulations.

It is notified, for the information and guidance of officers commanding British corps, that all advances of pay to Regimental warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men proceeding on furlough to England must be made by the corps concerned, and gradually worked off as pay for the period covered by the advance is actually earned. The recovery of such advances cannot, under any circumstances, be effected in England.

In *exceptional cases*, advances of the nature in question may be made by the Paymaster at the embarkation depôt, but not before the concurrence of the officer commanding the corps concerned has been obtained, by telegram if necessary. In these cases also the advance will be borne by the corps concerned, and the same procedure followed for the recovery of the advance as in ordinary cases, the sum advanced being immediately repaid by the corps to the Paymaster at the embarkation depôt.

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With reference to G. O. C. C.,† dated 30th September 1887, page 533, regarding the prepayment of postage on correspondence sent by officers commanding regiments in India to the Discharge Depôts at home, the Commander-in-Chief directs that officers commanding regiments and batteries in the Bengal‡ Presidency will see to the correct prepayment of full postage on *all* communications addressed on Her Majesty's service by them to England.

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With reference to G. O. C. C.,§ dated 3rd July 1888, pages 247-8, the Commander-in-Chief directs that *white* gloves are always to be worn with frock coats.

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Lieutenant Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, C.B., 14th Madras Infantry, is detailed for temporary employment in the Intelligence Branch of the Quarter Master General's Department and directed to join at Calcutta, travelling at the public expense.

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† G.O.C. No. 526 of 1887, page 336. ‡ Madras Presidency.
§ G.O.C. No. 291 of 1888, pages 176, 177.

**No. 112.**—The undermentioned warrant officer is granted leave of absence :—

*Sub-Medical Department.*—2nd Grade Assistant Apothecary M. N. Ryland, for 45 days, from the 4th February 1889, or date of departure, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. India. Medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Captain H. C. Perkins for one year, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to sea :—

*2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.*—Lieutenant F. H. Domenichetti, for sixty days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*8th March* 1889.

**No. 113.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 8th and 12th February 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 7th instant.

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**No. 114.**—Intimation having been received from the Horse Guards that Lieutenant F. A. L. Powell, Q Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, has been promoted Captain into a battery at Home, he is directed to proceed to England as early as possible.

Under para. 256 (*i*), Transport Regulations, Part I and para. 513 (*c*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 115.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following transfers of Royal Artillery Officers :—

Lieutenant C. F. Stevens, No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division, has been transferred to O Battery 4th Brigade, and is to proceed from Mandalay to Nowgong to join the latter battery.

Under para. 256 (*i*), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 514 (*k*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

Lieutenant T. A. Tancred, No. 5 Battery 1st Brigade Northern Division, has been transferred to No. 2 Battery 1st Brigade Eastern Division.

Second Lieutenant J. A. Stewart, No. 10 Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division, has been transferred to No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division.

**No. 116.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 349 of 1888, the undermentioned men having completed their training as Master Tailors at the Clothing Agency, Madras, will rejoin their respective Corps:—

No. 3219, Private Robert George Shephard, 7th Hussars.

No. 61853, Gunner Ernest Jackson, No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division Royal Artillery.

No. 1340, Private James Crowley, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

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**No. 117.**—The undermentioned have passed the examination noted against their names:—

*Malabar Volunteer Rifles.*

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|---|---|
| Captain G. W. Dance | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Lieutenant H. M. Brown | |
| " P. W. E. Watts | |
| " P. R. Allen | |
| Sergeant M. D. Taylor | |
| Corporal J. C. Abbott | |
| Volunteer P. Sparrow | |

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**No. 118.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

*1st Madras Lancers.*—Lieutenant O. G. Ievers, officiating squadron officer, to be squadron officer sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Lieutenant Thring seconded for employment with Burma Military Police.

*1st Madras Pioneers.*—2nd Lieutenant C. E. Bowen, Leinster Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 26th February 1889.

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. W. Harris, North Staffordshire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 27th February 1889.

2nd Lieutenant C. Barnett, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 28th February 1889.

*11th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. P. Bell, Worcestershire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 27th February 1889.

*22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel F. H. Vanderzee, second in command, 24th Madras Infantry, and officiating commandant, 22nd Madras Infantry, to be commandant. Dated 7th March 1889.

*31st Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. Thornton, wing officer and officiating Adjutant is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 19th August 1888.

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**No. 119.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General E. Faunce, who has been brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment as a District Commander, 2nd Class, in G. O. G. No. 91 of 1889, to the command of the Southern District, *vice* Brigadier General G. C. Hodding, C.B., who vacates, but to continue in command of a Brigade in Upper Burma until further orders.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon G. E. Hale, doing duty Madras District, to do duty Myingyan and Mandalay Districts. To travel at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 213 and 514, Transport Regulations, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 120.**—Under instructions from Army Head Quarters in India, Colonel H. B. Sanderson, Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate General, is directed to proceed from Ootacamund to Simla, to assume charge of duties of Judge Advocate General in India. Travelling on duty at the public expense, under clause II, para. 540, Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 121.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 15th February* 1889.

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As many instances have again occurred in which quarterly returns of officers struck off the Indian establishment have been rendered to the Adjutant General's Office in an incorrect and incomplete state, the Commander-in-Chief is under the neces-

sity of directing the attention of officers concerned to an order† issued so recently as the 3rd July 1888 calling attention to the instructions contained in G.O. 70§ of 1887 and G.O. 36|| of 1888, for the preparation of India Army Form No. 6, and His Excellency enjoins that the instructions already issued on this subject be complied with so as to save unnecessary waste of time in returning these documents for correction.

†G.O.C.C. page 249‡ of 1888.

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The undermentioned passed the Lower Standard examination in Hindustani on the 7th January 1889 :

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Lieut. W. T. W. Scott ... Bedfordshire R., probationer, M. S. C.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 18th February* 1889.

With reference to para. 1305, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, as amended by G.O. 9,¶ dated 1st February 1889, it is notified for information that one of the three vacancies at the Staff College open to officers of the Indian Army in 1890 and to be competed for in June 1889 will be filled by a nominated officer.

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It is notified that, in order to admit of the provisions of para. 191, Section VII, Queen's Regulations, being complied with, the Government of India have sanctioned the issue of two Weldon Range Finders to each regiment of British Cavalry and Infantry serving in this country.

Military Department letter No. 50 C., "Drill and Instruction," dated 8th January 1889.

Officers Commanding Corps are directed to submit requisitions on the Ordnance Department for the instruments in question.

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‡ G.O.C. No. 291 of 1888, page 178.

§ S.G.O. No. 37 of 1887, pages 108 and 109.

|| S.G.O. No. 32 of 1888, page 76. ¶ S.G.O. No. 16 of 1889, page 31.

When shooting passes extending over three days are given to soldiers to districts other than that in which the cantonment in which the regiment is quartered is situated, the Commanding Officer will send to the Magistrate of the district to which the men are about to proceed a notice stating the rank and names of the party and, as nearly as can be stated, the parts of the district to which they are going. Care should be taken that passes are only given for localities where shooting can properly be pursued.

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The following Circular letter from the Adjutant General, Horse Guards No. $\frac{104.}{\text{General No.},}$ 1564. dated 26th November 1888, is re-published for information and guidance :—

"His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has had under his consideration the following proposal by which soldiers may improve themselves in the important subject of judging distance :—

"In each barrack room which offers favourable range of view, a sketch should be hung up showing all prominent objects, and giving their correct distances as seen and measured from a doorway or other point in the barrack.

"The soldier by observing such objects and the size and appearance of men or animals in the vicinity, noting at the same time the measured distance, would gradually train himself to estimate, with accuracy, similar objects when seen at unknown distances.

"His Royal Highness desires that, where facilities exist, you will give such instructions to Commanding Officers as you may deem necessary for the introduction of this system."

The Commander-in-Chief in India directs that, under the orders of General Officers Commanding, this system be adopted by all British and Native corps, and Batteries of Artillery at stations where local conditions admit of the proposals being carried into effect.

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Major W. A. Eden, Royal Horse Artillery, is directed to proceed from Fyzabad to Trimulgherry and join H Battery B Brigade Royal Horse Artillery, to which he has been appointed.

Under Transport Regulations, Part II, para. 514, clause (*k*).

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 19th February 1889.*

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With reference to A. O. 297 of 1888, revising Part IV, Section XIX, Queen's Regulations and orders for the Army, General Officers Commanding are requested to be good enough to submit, as heretofore, to the Adjutant General, Simla†, for the orders of the Commander-in-Chief, all applications for the discharge of British soldiers serving in the ‡Bengal Presidency as § incorrigible and worthless characters (or for misconduct), or || on conviction by the civil power.

§ Class "N."
|| Class "O."

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

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*South Lancashire Regiment.*—Lieutenant J. W. Ross (officiating Wing Officer on probation 1st Punjab Infantry), to Rawal Pindi, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages.

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**No. 122.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon Major H. G. Hall, in medical charge, 21st Regiment Madras Infantry, for 182 days, under Rule XXV, Furlough Regulations of 1868, with effect from the 19th February 1889, or date of departure. India. Medical certificate.

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General H. M. Bengough, C.B., Commanding Secunderabad District, privilege leave for 30 days; from 27th February 1889, or date of departure.

*Madras Volunteer Guards.*—Captain (Honorary Major) F. O. Sherman, for 1 year, from 18th February 1889. India. Private affairs.

† Ootacamund. ‡ Madras.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*15th March* 1889.

**No. 123.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 15th and 19th February 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 12th instant.

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**No. 124.**—So much of G.O.C. No. 118 of 1889, as refers to Lieutenant O. G. Ievers is cancelled.

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**No. 125.**—The undermentioned officers are detailed for duty at the Depôt, Wellington :—

Captain C. M. Hamilton, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

" W. A. G. Saunders, M/B Royal Horse Artillery.

Lieutenant H. B. Walker, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

" A. R. Foord, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.

These officers will travel on duty at the public expense.

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**No. 126.**—The undermentioned officer is reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

*Madras, 4th March* 1889.

Surgeon D. Simpson, Indian Medical Service.

**No. 127.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in the Vernaculars, as indicated opposite their names :—

*Madras, 18th and 19th February* 1889.

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| Lieutenant H. J. A. Rowe, Staff Corps ... | Higher Standard, Persian. |
| Lieutenant G. H. Arbuthnot, Staff Corps... <br> " H. R. Davies, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. <br> " W. E. Banbury, Staff Corps ... | Lower Standard, Persian. |
| Surgeon H. E. B. Flanagan, Medical Staff... | Higher Standard, Persian. |
| Lance-Sergeant A. J. Smith, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | Higher Standard, Tamil. |
| Private G. E. Brand, 7th Hussars ... | Higher Standard, Telugu. |

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**No. 128.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*2nd Madras Lancers.*—Captain F. B. Deane, squadron officer, 4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry, to be squadron commander, to fill an existing vacancy.

*4th (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry.*—Lieutenant E. M. Reed, squadron officer, sub. *pro tem.*, to be squadron officer, *vice* Captain Deane transferred to 2nd Lancers.

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. H. Brabazon, Royal Marine Light Infantry, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 6th March 1889.

*7th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain J. S. G. Manera, wing officer, to be wing commander, to fill an existing vacancy.

*17th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel T. H. B. Young, second in command and officiating commandant, to be commandant, *vice* Colonel Macdougall retired. Dated 1st January 1889.

Lieutenant W. G. Hodgson, wing officer (on probation), 31st Regiment Light Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity, *vice* Lieutenant Sillery.

*20th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. C. A. Sillery, wing officer, 17th Regiment Madras Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity, and to be graded regimentally next below Lieutenant Rynd.

*29th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel W. T. Brereton, second in command and officiating commandant, to be commandant, *vice* Colonel Murray, who vacated under clause 4, G.O.G. No. 263 of 1882. Dated 10th January 1889.

2nd Lieutenant S. S. Bradford, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, to be officiating wing officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 21st January 1889.

*31st Regiment Light Infantry.*—Captain G. C. Atkinson, Staff Corps, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Commander-in-Chief in G. O. G. No. 133 of 1889, to be wing officer, *vice* Lieutenant Hodgson transferred.

Captain Atkinson will be graded regimentally next above Lieutenant Thornton.

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**No. 129.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major C. H. Swayne,* doing duty Myingyan and Mandalay Districts, to do duty Madras District.

Surgeon Major G. Laffan, M.D.,† on arrival from England, to do duty Secunderabad District.

Surgeon Major A. W. Carleton, M.B.,† on arrival from England, to do duty Station Hospital, Bangalore.

Surgeon A. Asbury,* doing duty Station Hospital, Belgaum, to do duty Myingyan and Mandalay Districts.

Surgeon R. T. McGeagh, M.D.,† on arrival from England, to do duty Belgaum and Bangalore Districts.

Surgeon B. A. Maturin, on arrival from England, to do duty Madras District.

Surgeon J. Osburne,‡ doing duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty Station Hospital, Wellington.

Surgeon H. H. Brown, M.B.,‡ doing duty Madras District, to do duty Station Hospital, Wellington.

*To travel at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 213 and 514, Transport Regulations, Parts I and II, respectively.

† To travel at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

‡ To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

**No. 130.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 23rd February* 1889.

Attention is invited to the following Army Orders, dated War Office, 1st January 1889 :—

Corrections to Queen's Regulations :—

A. O. 6.—Inspections, and Confidential Reports.

A. O. 7.—Corps of Ordnance Artificers.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The Commander-in-Chief has directed the publication of the following handicap table for the guidance of all concerned, with reference to the distribution of musketry prizes in Native Cavalry and Infantry regiments partly exercised with Martini-Henry and partly with snider arms :—

| Distance. | Snider carbine to receive from Martini-Henry carbine | Snider rifle to receive from Martini-Henry rifle |
|---|---|---|
| | Points. | Points. |
| 200 yards (10 rounds) ... | 1 | ... |
| 300 yards (10 rounds) ... | 2 | 1 |
| 400 yards (10 rounds) ... | 3 | 2 |
| 500 yards (10 rounds) ... | 4 | 3 |
| 600 yards (10 rounds) ... | 5 | 4 |
| 700 yards (10 rounds) ... | ... | 5 |
| Total in annual course ... | 15 | 15 |

Under the above conditions, every man will have an equal chance of winning a prize, irrespective of the weapon with which he fired his annual course, and the handicap is therefore invariably to be applied when selecting men for the rewards authorised in Part VI of the Native Musketry Regulations.

It is distinctly to be understood, however that the added points, are on no account to be recorded in any register or return showing the results of the musketry course.

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*Royal Engineers.*—It is notified for information that officers of Royal Engineers who have elected for continuous service in India will, on promotion to Lieutenant Colonel on half pay under Article 11 *(b)* of the Royal Warrant of the 15th November 1887, be retained in their employment in the civil departments of the Government of India under Article 8 of the Royal Warrant of the 20th February 1886.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 27th February* 1889.

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At the examinations held on the 8th December 1888, and following days, the undermentioned officers qualified as noted opposite their names :—

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| Capt. W. A. G. Saunders, (1) | ...R. H. Artillery. | Examination in *(c)* and *(d)*, Sec. IX, para. 39 (IV), Queen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Major. |
| ,, T. E. Rowan, (1) | ...Royal Artillery. | |
| ,, C. B. Henderson, (4) | ...Royal Engineers. | |
| * | * | * |
| ,, C. W. Napier, (1) | ...Som. Light Infantry. | |
| ,, G. H. H. Couchman, D.S.O., (1) | ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, H. R. Lloyd, (1) | ... ,, ,, ,, | |

Lieut. A. S. Tyndale-Biscoe, (1) R. H. Artillery.
,, F. H. Eadon ... 21st Hussars.
,, T. H. E. Dauncey ... ,, ,,

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,, E. L. Dunsterville, (4)... Royal Engineers.
,, E. P. Johnson, (1) ... ,, ,,

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,, T. H. Kemmis, (1) ... Royal Fusiliers.
,, G. R. Lascelles, (4) ... ,, ,,
,, F. A. Morse, D.S.O., (2), (4) } Som. Light Infantry.
,, J. M. Vallentin, (1) ... ,, ,, ,,
,, H. C. Johnstone, (1) ... ,, ,, ,,

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Examination in (c) and (d), Sec. IX, para. 39 (III), Queen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Captain.

,, A. H. Hussey, (1) ... R. H. Artillery.
,, F. A. L. Powell ... Royal Artillery.

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,, F. Vans-Agnew ... ,, ,,

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Examination in (c) and (d), Sec. IX, para. 39 (III), Queen's Regulations.

Capt. A. G. H. Hayne, (1) ... Madras Staff Corps.
,, P. G. Huggins, D.S.O. ... ,, ,, ,,
,, J. S. G. Manera ... ,, ,, ,,
,, F. B. Deane ... ,, ,, ,,
,, T. H. Haughton, (1), (3). ,, ,, ,,
,, H. H. H. Aspinall, (1), (2) ,, ,, ,,

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Examination in Part II, para. 331, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II.

(1) Distinguished in Military Law.
(2) ,, ,, Field Fortification.
(3) ,, ,, Military Topography.
(4) ,, ,, Tactics.

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**No. 131.**—The following extracts from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 1st March* 1889.

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100. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troop-ship "*Crocodile*" on or about the 21st March 1889 :—

| CORPS OR BATTERIES. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Staff. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. Wives. | Officers' Families. Children. | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Horses. Officers. | Destination. | REMARKS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *   * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Madras Presidency ...... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 7 | ... | (*a*) | Schoolmr. M. Loftus. |
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| Artillery Details ........ | | 14 | | ... | ... | 11 | 5 | 635 | ... | ... | ... | 7 | 10 | ... | (*b*) | |

(*a*) To join as ordered.

(*b*) *Vide* detailed Statement.

101. Statement of Artillery Drafts expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Troopship "*Crocodile*" on or about 21st March 1889.

| Corps. | Sergeants. | Corporals. | Bombardiers. | Gunners. | Drivers. | Collar Makers. | Farriers. | Carriage Smiths. | Trumpeters. | Women. | Children. | Destination. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| * * * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * * |
| "M" Battery, "B" Brigade... | ... | ... | ... | 23 | 18 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Bangalore. |
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| "P" ,, 1st ,, ... | ... | ... | ... | 16 | 18 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Bangalore. |
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| No. 2/1 Eastern Division ... | ... | ... | ... | 26 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | Thayetmyo. |
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**No. 132.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant R. W. C. Keays, Probationer, Staff Corps, officiating wing officer (on probation), 17th Regiment Madras Infantry, for 182 days, from 19th February 1889, or date of departure, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. India. Medical certificate.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon-Major G. F. Bevan, Acting Secretary and Statistical Officer to the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras, accumulated privilege leave for 90 days, from 20th April 1889, or date of departure.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Lieutenant Lord Bingham, for 4 months, on urgent private affairs.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*Royal Engineers.*—Lieutenant J. A. Dealy, for 1 year, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*22nd March* 1889.

**No. 133.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 22nd and 26th February 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 21st instant.

**No. 134.**—Intimation having been received from Army Head Quarters in India, that Captain C. Wood, Royal Artillery, has been posted to a battery at Rawal-Pindi, he is directed to proceed forthwith from Secunderabad to that station for duty.

Under para. 514 (*k*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

**No. 135.**—The undermentioned men are reported to have completed a special course of instruction at the First Class Gymnasium, Secunderabad, and to have obtained certificates as stated :—

| Corps. | Regtl. No. | Rank and Name. | | Certificates. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers). | 2206 | Private ... | Grigoory ... ... | 1st Class. | For Gymnastics only. |
| 9th Regiment Madras Infantry. | 1150 | do. ... | Hussain Jan ... | 2nd ,, | |
| 17th Regiment Madras Infantry. | 3464 | do. ... | Abdul Nahab Khan | 2nd ,, | |

**No. 136.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster, Naigue No. 3001 Thumboosawmy of the 17th Regiment Madras Infantry, is temporarily transferred to the family Head Quarters' School of the 19th Regiment Madras Infantry at Pallaveram, on public grounds. To join.

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**No. 137.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 101 of 1889, the undermentioned officers are detailed to attend the equitation class to be formed at Bangalore, commencing on the 1st proximo :—

Lieutenant A. G. W. Moore, 2nd Madras Lancers.
2nd Lieutenant C. E. N. Priestley, ,, ,,
Lieutenant T. S. Young, 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry.
2nd Lieutenant E. Wintour, 3rd Light Cavalry.

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**No. 138.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers of Royal Engineers are brought on the strength of the Indian Establishment with effect from the 5th February 1889, the date of their embarkation for India :—

Lieutenant T. Fraser, Royal Engineers.
,, H. A. D. Fraser, Royal Engineers.

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**No. 139.**—Lieutenant W. T. W. Scott, Bedfordshire Regiment, who has been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is directed to proceed from Upper Burma to Secunderabad, to join the 2nd Battalion of his Regiment pending orders from His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his final disposal.

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**No. 140.**—The following transfers are ordered :—

| | From | To | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Army Schoolmaster H. Wood. | 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers, Wellington. | Royal Artillery, St. Thomas' Mount. | To join. |
| Army Schoolmaster T. Simms. | Royal Artillery, St. Thomas' Mount. | 1st Battalion Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Mhow. | To join. |

**No. 141.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Elementary Standard in Burmese :—

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*8th January* 1889.

Private No. 1284 Govindasawmy, 27th Regiment Madras Infantry.

*5th February* 1889.

Private No. 1367 Conicum, 27th Regiment Madras Infantry.

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**No. 142.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant W. B. Young, Staff Corps, 5th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, 4th Class, Berhampore, and to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at that Station. Dated 16th February 1889.

Lieutenant A. M. Lloyd, Staff Corps, 24th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, 4th Class, Berhampore, and to be in charge of Pensioners and Holders of Family Certificates at that station. Dated 27th February 1889.

Lieutenant W. M. Dawes, Staff Corps, 28th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, 4th Class, Vizianagrum, *vice* Captain Murray relieved. Dated 22nd February 1889.

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. L. Anderson, second in command, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel Dicken, *D.S.O.*, who vacates under clause 4, G. O. G. No. 263 of 1882. Dated 19th March 1889.

*6th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant C. E. De L. Solbé, 2nd Battalion Royal West Surrey Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 3rd March 1889.

*9th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant W. B. Powell, Northamptonshire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 10th March 1889.

*16th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant G. M. Morris, South Lancashire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 27th February 1889.

**No. 143.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant G. K. Swettenham, officiating wing officer (on probation), 28th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment until further orders.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon W. H. Bean, on arrival from England, to do duty Station Hospital, Belgaum.

Surgeon C. A. Young,* on arrival from England, to do duty Madras District.

* To travel at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 512, Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 144.**—The following general order by the Government of Madras, is republished :—

12*th March* 1889.

No. 144.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 1st March 1889, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS.

*No. 200.*—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men have been granted medals, with annuities and gratuities, for meritorious service and good conduct, under the provisions of clause 115, India Army Circulars of 1888 :—

*Medals inscribed "For Meritorious Service," with annuity.*

No. 1177.—Troop Havildar-Major Tipu Khan, 1st Madras Lancers.

No 1090.—Regimental Havildar-Major Abdur Rahman, 2nd Madras Lancers.

No. 117.—Regimental Havildar-Major Musa Khan, 3rd Madras Cavalry.

No. 1042—Regimental Havildar-Major Amogee Row, 4th Madras Cavalry.

No 2099.—Color-Havildar Veerasamy, Madras Sappers and Miners.

No. 196.—Color-Havildar Venketsamy, 1st Madras Infantry.

No. 192.—Havildar Trevangadum, 2nd Madras Infantry.

No. 532.—Havildar Shaikh Husain, 3rd Madras Infantry.

No. 760.—Havildar Yakub Khan, 4th Madras Infantry.

No. 2756.—Havildar Shaikh Ibrahim, 5th Madras Infantry.

No. 1500.—Havildar Muniprasad, 6th Madras Infantry.

No. 216.—Havildar Venketsamy, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 466.—Color-Havildar, Muhammad Kasim, 8th Madras Infantry.
No. 873.—Havildar Veeraragooloo, 9th Madras Infantry.
No. 2137.—Havildar Abdul Ghafur, 10th Madras Infantry.
No. 131.—Havildar Nur Badrud-din Beg, 11th Madras Infantry.
No. 2378.—Havildar Sulaiman Khan, 12th Madras Infantry.
No. 531.—Havildar Arokeum, 13th Madras Infantry.
No. 2833.—Color-Havildar Barthasarthee, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 543.—Havildar Aminuddin, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 639.—Havildar Ramanah, 16th Madras Infantry.
No. 1779.—Havildar Shaikh Abdullah, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 2070,—Havildar Moodoo Kistna, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 478.—Color-Havildar Permaul, 20th Madras Infantry.
No. 343.—Color-Havildar Sayyid Ali, 21st Madras Infantry.
No. 40.—Color-Havildar Puddeah, 22nd Madras Infantry.
No. 421.—Color-Havildar Manual, 23rd Madras Infantry.
No. 83.—Havildar Ibrahim Khan, 24th Madras Infantry.
No. 500.—Havildar Muhammad Hayat, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 134.—Color-Havildar Casavaroyloo, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 205.—Havildar Yakub Khan, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 494.—Havildar Shaikh Imam, 28th Madras Infantry.
No. 294 —Havildar-Major Armoogum, 29th Madras Infantry.
No. 45.—Color-Havildar Sayyid Ahmad, 30th Madras Infantry.
No. 27.—Bugle-Major Joseph Mannas, 31st Madras Infantry.
No. 34.—Havildar Rungiah, 32nd Madras Infantry.
No. 2538.—Havildar-Major Shaikh Hamid, 33rd Madras Infantry.

*Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," with gratuity.*

No. 1163.—Private Sayyid Husain, 1st Madras Lancers.
No. 1472.—Private Omajee Row, 1st Madras Lancers.
No. 1092.—Private Muhammad Faizullah, 2nd Madras Lancers
No. 1093.—Private Ahmad Khan, 2nd Madras Lancers.
No. 47.—Private Husain Ahmad, 3rd Madras Cavalry.
No. 66.—Private Shaikh Mastan, 3rd Madras Cavalry.
No. 1004.—Private Yusuf Sharif, 4th Madras Cavalry.
No. 1244.—Private Muhammad Imam, 4th Madras Cavalry.
No. 2095.—Sapper Chowriapen, Madras Sappers and Miners.
No. 2988.—Naick Chowrimootoo, Madras Sappers and Miners.
No. 129.—Private Shaikh Haidar, 1st Madras Infantry.
No. 149.—Private Bungaroo, 1st Madras Infantry.

No. 9.—Drummer Charles Scervell, 2nd Madras Infantry.
No. 170.—Private Muhammad Kasim, 2nd Madras Infantry.
No. 474.—Private Mir Hayat, 3rd Madras Infantry.
No. 440.—Private Ramasawmy, 3rd Madras Infantry.
No. 478.—Private Lachhmiya, 4th Madras Infantry.
No. 1589.—Private Mohan Sing, 4th Madras Infantry.
No. 2044.—Private Veerasawmy, 5th Madras Infantry.
No. 2044.—Private Sayyid Muhiyud-din, 5th Madras Infantry.
No. 1548.—Private Gooriah, 6th Madras Infantry.
No. 1361.—Private Erranah, 6th Madras Infantry.
No. 191.—Private Shaikh Husain, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 370.—Private Abdul Karim, 7th Madras Infantry.
No. 277.—Private Juggamikooloo, 8th Madras Infantry.
No. 283.—Private Chelliah, 8th Madras Infantry.
No. 455.—Private Shaikh Mastan, 9th Madras Infantry.
No. 473.—Private Runganaykooloo, 9th Madras Infantry.
No. 1807.—Private Frederick Clamp, 10th Madras Infantry.
No. 2351.—Private Shaikh Buddhan, 10th Madras Infantry.
No. 109.—Private Ramanah, 11th Madras Infantry.
No. 115.—Private Shaikh Daud, 11th Madras Infantry.
No. 1975.—Private Muhammad Umar, 12th Madras Infantry.
No. 2035.—Private Ramiah, 12th Madras Infantry.
No. 369.—Private Sayyid Buddhan, 13th Madras Infantry.
No. 410.—Private Affanah, 13th Madras Infantry.
No. 2564.—Private Bhairuji, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 2724.—Private Daniel, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 255.—Private Nundiah, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 395.—Private Ibrahim Khan, 15th Madras Infantry.
No. 406.—Private Shaikh Sulaiman, 16th Madras Infantry.
No. 409.—Private Bahadur Khan, 16th Madras Infantry.
No. 1791.—Private Detchamoortee, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 1856.—Private Shaikh Nathar, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 2116.—Private Sayyid Makhdum, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 2633.—Private Muhammad Shafi, 19th Madras Infantry.
No. 287.—Private Abdul Jabbar, 20th Madras Infantry.
No. 519.—Private Chelmiah, 20th Madras Infantry.
No. 266.—Private Mootoosawmy, 21st Madras Infantry.
No. 304.—Private Affoodoo, 21st Madras Infantry.
No. 9.—Private Shaikh, Farid, 22nd Madras Infantry.
No. 69.—Private Abdul Ghafur, 22nd Madras Infantry.
No. 411.—Private Affiah, 23rd Madras Infantry.
No. 665.—Private Affolnursiah, 23rd Madras Infantry.
No. 46.—Private Sayyid Mustafa, 24th Madras Infantry.
No. 52.—Private Muhammad Khan, 24th Madras Infantry.
No. 187.—Private Manuel, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 190.—Private Rungiah, 25th Madras Infantry.
No. 173.—Private Mootoocurpen, 26th Madras Infantry.

No. 185.—Private Narrainsawmy, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 162.—Private Alif Khan, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 174.—Private Affaroo, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 474.—Private Rungiah, 28th Madras Infantry.
No. 488.—Private Annamuntoo, 28th Madras Infantry.
No. 57.—Private Nursimloo, 29th Madras Infantry.
No. 88.—Private Muhammad Sahib, 29th Madras Infantry.
No. 10.—Private Shaikh Ismail, 30th Madras Infantry.
No. 11.—Private Musician Thomas DeCruze, 30th Madras Infantry.
No. 305.—Private Shaikh Daud, 31st Madras Infantry.
No. 313.—Private Atchiah, 31st Madras Infantry.
No. 35.—Private Ibrahim Khan, 32nd Madras Infantry.
No. 37.—Private Seeranah, 32nd Madras Infantry.
No. 1884.—Private Kundasamy, 33rd Madras Infantry.
No. 2024.—Private Mooneesawmy, 33rd Madras Infantry.

*Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," without gratuity.*

No. 1136.—Private Lachhmiya, 4th Madras Infantry.
No. 2038.—Private Kadir Beg, 14th Madras Infantry.
No. 1771.—Private Affannah, 17th Madras Infantry.
No. 371.—Private Affiah, 23rd Madras Infantry.
No. 132.—Private Shaikh Baban, 26th Madras Infantry.
No. 164.—Private Bootchiah, 27th Madras Infantry.
No. 144.—Havildar Soobanodree, 29th Madras Infantry.
No. 14.—Private Shaikh Dada, 30th Madras Infantry.
No. 1857.—Private Jabher Sing, 33rd Madras Infantry.

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**No. 145.**—The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence :—

*District Staff.*—Captain G. P. M. Prichard, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, Belgaum, accumulated privilege leave for 90 days, from the 7th April 1889, or date of departure.

*Staff Corps.*—Captain H. Elston, wing officer, 30th Madras Infantry, for 183 days, from the 1st April 1889, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. India. Private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—Quarter Master and Honorary Lieutenant L. Donnelly, to England and Ireland, for 5 months, on private affairs.

*Malabar Volunteer Rifles*—Captain T. C. Mellish, out of India for five months, on private affairs.

Lieutenant W. Maylor, out of India for six months, on private affairs.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—1st Grade Assistant Apothecary D. Wooten, for 182 days, from the 22nd February 1889, or date of departure, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. The first 60 days on full pay, under Articles 968 and 1194, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*29th March* 1889.

**No. 146.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 1st and 5th March 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 28th instant.

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**No. 147.**—Under instructions from Government, it is notified for information that the rate of exchange for the pay and remittances of British troops serving in India, from the 1st April 1889, has been fixed at 1*s.* 4½*d.* the rupee until further orders

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**No. 148.**—With reference to para. 1012, Army Regulations, India, Volume V, it is hereby notified that the rates of compensation in lieu of bedding for the year 1889-90, have been fixed as follows :—

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| Blankets | ... | ... Rs. 2-10-0 each. |
| Suttringes | ... | ... ,, 1- 6-6 ,, |
| Sheets | ... | ... ,, 0-11-6 ,, |

2. Claims for compensation should be prepared on M. M. Form 791, and forwarded direct to the Examiner of Commissariat Accounts for pre-audit.

Bills in duplicate are not required. The amount passed is to be charged in the Pay List supported by the Examiner's letter of advice.

3. All the requisite vouchers are embodied in the form itself which should be carefully filled in.

**No. 149.**—With reference to Article 553, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part II, the Government of India have decided that the present practice of granting injury pensions to short service men of the Madras Army, when invalided for incurable disorders contracted on foreign service, shall be discontinued for future enlistments with effect from the 1st April 1889.

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**No. 150.**—The attention of Commanding Officers of Madras Cavalry, Infantry, and "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, is invited to S.G.O. No. 13 of 1888, regarding the preparation and despatch of recommendation rolls for the Order of British India.

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**No. 151.**—So much of G.O.C. No. 129 of 1889, as refers to Surgeon B. A. Maturin, Medical Staff, is cancelled.

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**No. 152.**—Lieutenant J. E. L. Gibbs, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, at present doing duty at the Depôt, Wellington, is directed to rejoin his Battalion for duty, travelling at the public expense.

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**No. 153.**—The name of 2nd Lieutenant E. Wintour, 3rd Light Cavalry, is removed from the list of officers detailed in G. O. C. No. 137 of 1889, to attend the equitation class at Bangalore.

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**No. 154.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant F. G. H. Sutton, Royal Irish Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 17th March 1889.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. C. Bernard, wing officer and officiating Adjutant, is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 4th January 1889.

**No. 155.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*5th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. W. Harris and 2nd Lieutenant H. I. L'Estrange, officiating wing officers (on probation), 3rd Regiment Light Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. W. N. Taylor, wing officer, 20th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment until further orders.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon F. W. H. D. Harris, on arrival from England, to do duty Madras District.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon D. Simpson, M.B.,* doing duty Madras District, to do duty Burma District.

* To travel at the public expense, under clause (*e*), para. 213, Transport Regulations, Part I.

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**No. 156.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 7th March* 1889.

With reference to G. O. C. C.,† dated 14th September 1888, pages 371 to 374, the following revised certificate is substituted for that given at the foot of the form of medal roll on page 373.‡

"I certify that the individuals named in this roll are entitled to receive the medal, and that they were all (except in the case of syces and grass-cutters of Regiments of Native cavalry) authorized followers paid by the State at the time the decoration was earned."

2. In rolls where the names of syces and grass-cutters are not included, the words in brackets in the above certificate should be omitted.

3. Medal rolls of followers not already furnished in the form laid down in the above quoted G. O. C. C. should be submitted without further delay.

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† G.O.C. No. 425 of 1888, pages 272 to 275. ‡ page 274.

*Army Pay Department.*—Intimation having been received from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for War that the undermentioned officers have been directed to proceed to India and will arrive at Bombay in March 1889, they are posted as Paymasters to the Battalions specified opposite their names:

Honorary Major J. C. T. Humfrey, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

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Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain the Hon'ble F. M. St. Aubyn, Rifle Brigade, is directed to proceed from Bareilly to Myingyan to join the 4th Battalion of his Regiment, into which he has recently been promoted.

Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (*i*), and Part II, para. 514, clause (*k*).

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 12th March* 1889.

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†G.O.C.C., dated 23rd March 1887, page 176.
‡G.O.C.C., dated 7th June 1887, page 285.
§G.O.C.C., dated 30th August 1887, page 466.

Military Department letter No. 975 G., dated 4th July 1888.

With reference to the marginally quoted General Orders, the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to notify that the Government of India have sanctioned the indulgence of ninety days' Burma privilege leave being extended to 1889, in the case of those officers who served in Burma prior to the 1st May 1887, and who, for reasons considered good and sufficient by His Excellency, were prevented from availing themselves of it in 1888.

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It is notified for the information of General Officers Commanding Districts that instructions for conducting examinations for promotions of officers of the Medical Staff will, in future, be issued by the Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, and the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct that such instructions will be recognised accordingly.

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† G.O C. No. 140 of 1887. ‡ G.O.C. No. 313 of 1887, page 170.
§ G.O.C. No. 442 of 1887.

The attention of Officers Commanding British Corps on the Bengal† Establishment is directed to the orders and regulations marginally noted revising India Army Form 108, and requiring the return showing the probable numbers requiring to complete corps to established strength during the coming trooping season, to be despatched to district head quarters *in the amended form punctually on the 2nd April;* and the attention of General Officers Commanding Districts is invited to para. XIII of the instructions for the preparation of the return printed on the back of amended India Army Form 108.

‡G. O. 115 of 1888, para. 2, India Army Regulations, Vol. II, para. 2576, as amended by G. O. 115 of 1888.

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The attention of Officers Commanding Regiments of Cavalry and Infantry and Batteries of Artillery is called to Army Order No. 25, dated 1st January 1889, regarding forfeiture of medals of soldiers convicted under sections 12, 13, 17 and 18 of the Army Act.

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Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain G. Massy, Norfolk Regiment, is directed to proceed to Madras to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment into which he has recently been promoted.

Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (*i*), and Part II, para. 514, clause (*k*).

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 13th March* 1889.

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The following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st January 1889, is republished for information and guidance :

*A. O. 9.—Manual of Infantry Drill.*

1. A revised edition of the " Field Exercise and Evolutions of Infantry," which will in future be styled the " Manual of Infantry Drill," has been published, and will shortly be issued to all concerned.

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† Madras.

‡ S.G.O. No. 70 of 1888, para. 2. Addendum published at page 13 of S.G.O. of 1889, India Army Regulations, Volume II, para. 2581, as amended by S.G.O. No. 16 of 1889, page 33.

2. His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has received the Queen's commands to require of Officers a scrupulous adherence to the system of Drill and Manœuvre now promulgated. The careful training of the soldier in ordinary times by those whose duty it will be to direct his fire and lead him in action has become of paramount importance.

3. These regulations are based on the principle of demanding great exactitude in the simplified movements still retained for Drill, while conceding the utmost latitude to all commanders, of however small a unit, in Manœuvre. The first must be carried out literally; the second must be observed in the spirit more than in the letter.

4. The very process by which the rank and file are gradually imbued with a feeling of confidence, when called upon to act more or less upon their individual judgment, will create the discipline essential to success.

5. It is to the appreciation by General Officers Commanding of these vital points, and to their realising the altered conditions of modern warfare, that his Royal Highness looks for the efficient preparation of Infantry for the practical requirements of the battle-field.

6. General Orders 28, 41, and 94, of 1885, are hereby cancelled.

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The Government of India have notified that they attach much importance to the utilisation of Government transport to the fullest extent on relief, and other duties, in view to reduction of expenditure for hired transport. General Officers Commanding are accordingly directed to take such steps as may be necessary to ensure that all Government transport, both Regimental and Depôt, as well as carriage employed on station duties, is utilised, as far as practicable, with troops moving in relief, &c.

Occasions may arise when at the time of corps moving in relief, &c., it would be inconvenient to spare transport from station duties, but preference, whenever practicable, should always be given to troops moving, and temporary transport engaged for station duties.

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**No. 157.**—The following extracts from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished:—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 15th March* 1889.

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128. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troop-ship "*Malabar*" on or about the 26th March 1889:—

| Corps or Batteries. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. | | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. | | Horses. | Destination. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | Wives. | Children. | | Wives. | Children. | Officers. | | |
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| 2/ Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 72 | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 7 | ... | Secunderabad. | |
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| 1/ Norfolk Regt. ........................ | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 4 | ... | (*a*) | |
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(*a*) To join as ordered.

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129. Statement of Artillery Drafts expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Troopship "*Malabar*" on or about 26th March 1889.

| | Battery Qr. Mr. Sergeants. | Sergeants. | Corporals. | Bombardiers. | Gunners. | Drivers. | Wheelers. | Collar Makers. | Farriers. | Trumpeters. | Women. | Children. | Stations. |
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| "R" Battery, 1st Brigade | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | Belgaum. |
| "S" ,, ,, ,, | ... | ... | ... | ... | 25 | 17 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | Bellary. |
| "U" ,, ,, ,, | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15 | 8 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 4 | St. Thomas' Mount. |
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| "I" ,, 3rd ,, | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 18 | 9 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | St. Thomas' Mount. |
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| "I" ,, 4th ,, | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Bangalore. |
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| 8th Battery Cinque Ports | ... | ... | ... | ... | 16 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Secunderabad. |
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**No. 158.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*7th Hussars.*—Captain Hon'ble T. Ashburnham, to England, for six months, on urgent private affairs.

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant S. Nicholson, to England, for six months, on medical certificate

*East Lancashire Regiment.*—Captain C. R. M. O'Brien, Adjutant, Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps to India, for 6 months, on private affairs.

*South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.*—Lieutenant H. D. B. Mactaggart, out of India for one year, on urgent private affairs.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*5th April* 1889.

**No. 159.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 8th and 12th March 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 4th instant.

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**No. 160.**—The Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that the next half-yearly examinations in Tamil, Telugu, Canarese, Persian, &c., will be held on Monday the 15th July 1889 and following days. Candidates desirous of being examined by the Lower and Higher Standards and for certificates of High Proficiency, &c., are to send in their applications so that they shall reach the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund, on or before the 25th May 1889, after which date no applications will be entertained.

2. The fees for the examination as per notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 11th January 1882, Part I, page 17, should be paid by candidates at the Presidency into the Bank of Madras and by those in the mofussil into the nearest treasury, and the receipts forwarded with the candidates' applications to the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund.

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**No. 161.**—Under instructions from Army Head Quarters in India, Lieutenant W. D. Nichol, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed forthwith from Rangoon to Rawal Pindi, to join No. 3 (Mountain) Battery 1st Brigade South Irish Division Royal Artillery, to which he has been appointed.

Under para. 256 (*i*), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 514 (*k*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 162.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that the undermentioned second Lieutenants, Royal Artillery, recently commissioned from the Royal Military Academy, and posted to the batteries stated against their names, have been ordered to join at Shoeburyness for a course of instruction preparatory to their joining for duty :—

N. F. Gordon ...Q Battery 1st Brigade.
W. H. Hunt ...No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division.
J. E. L. Bruce. ...No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division.
C. F. Bishop ...No. 8 (Heavy) Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division.
G. G. Woods ...No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division.
R. C. Coates ...R. Battery 1st Brigade.
H. E. Vallentin...S Battery 1st Brigade.
F. C. A. Parsons...No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade Lancashire Division.

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**No. 163.**—The undermentioned have passed the examination noted against their names :—

*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*

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| Lieutenant G. P. P. Flynn ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| 2nd Lieutenant G. H. Wright ... | |
| Quarter Master Sergeant C. M. Mergler | |
| Sergeant C. Jennings ... ... | |
| Lance Corporal G. H. Ricketts ... | |
| " " F. D. D. Anderson ... | |
| " " H. L. Gomes ... | |
| " " R. E. Lewis ... | |
| " " D. Anderson ... | |
| Volunteer C. E. Ricketts ... | |
| " H. A. Boalth ... ... | |
| " W. H. Johnson ... | |
| " H. C. Sausman ... | |

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**No. 164.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*7th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. R. Denne, wing officer, 2nd Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*27th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. H. Williams, officiating wing officer (on probation), 25th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*32nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant E. E. Beddek, officiating wing officer (on probation), 11th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon D. R. Hamilton, M.B.,* doing duty Madras District, to do duty Belgaum and Bangalore Districts.

Surgeon J. F. Burke,* doing duty Station Hospital, Wellington, to do duty Madras District.

Surgeon F. T. Skerrett,† doing duty Station Hospital, Toungoo, to do duty Madras District.

Surgeon W. L. Gray, M.B.,† on arrival at Madras from England, to do duty Station Hospital, Toungoo, *vice* Surgeon F. T. Skerrett.

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon E. R. C. Butler,* doing duty Station Veterinary Hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty Station Veterinary Hospital, St. Thomas' Mount.

* To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

† To travel at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 213 and 514, Transport Regulations, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 165.**—Captain J. R. P. Gordon, 15th Hussars, having been permitted to resign his appointment on the personal staff of Major General B. L. Gordon, C.B., Commanding Burma District, is directed to proceed to England, and report himself to the Horse Guards on arrival in that country.

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**No. 166.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 15th March* 1889.

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The following Horse Guards' memorandum No. $\frac{104}{\text{Gen. No.}}$ / 1575, dated 1st January 1889, is republished :

" His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, recognising as he does the urgent necessity of improving the field rifle fire of our soldiers, recommends to the attention of General Officers

Commanding Districts, and Officers Commanding regiments of cavalry and battalions of infantry, as tending to this end, the importance of including in the list of competitions at periodical rifle meetings, certain events of a warlike nature, in view of holding out inducements to all ranks to pay more attention than is apparent at present, to the practice of "Mass Firing," by which, and not by individual shooting as carried out on a rifle range at fixed distances, battles are won.

To ensure the efficacy of such a fire, its intelligent control and direction (in which the manner of giving words of command is an important element), by company and section commanders are absolutely indispensable; therefore it is suggested that in judging the relative value of the results of competitions, a certain number of marks should invariably be allotted to these points, as well as to accuracy. Then the fire discipline exhibited by the rank and file, tactical handling by commanders, and time taken, when features of the contest, should receive due awards. At those stations where the nature of the ground available for holding rifle meetings admits of their being competed for with safety (and His Royal Highness is of opinion that there are many in India and the Colonies, and not a few in the United Kingdom), the following events are recommended to your notice. The bald outline is simply given, without any attempt being made to enter into detail, and of course the nomenclature is merely suggestive.

*1. The Attack Competition.*

An entrenched position should be prepared, manned with dummy figures, and attacked as nearly as possible under service conditions.

*2. The Ambuscade Sweepstake.*

The competitors for this contest should be formed as an advanced guard, and be prepared for attack anywhere between two given points by an enemy lying in ambush, the enemy to be represented by dummy figures suddenly coming into view as scouts of the advance guards pass intervening cover.

*3. The Despatch Prize.*

A moving figure of a man on foot or horseback, presumably carrying a despatch from one part of the field of battle to another, might certainly be improvised, and run on a light tramway. This prize should be competed for individually, or by groups, when the fire should be by rapid volleys.

*4. Extreme Range Fire Competition.*

This should be competed for by sections, targets representing a battery of artillery, unlimbered for action or limbered up, or a battalion of infantry in quarter column, working parties, &c., should be made up of old sheeting screens, or hoarding, and the fire should be deliberate volleys. In this event the method of aiming as laid down in the Musketry Regulations, page 79, paragraph 60, should be adopted.

*5. The Lloyd Lindsay Prize for Cavalry or Mounted Infantry.*

As carried out at Wimbledon annually, (and probably well-known to all), except that there should be a section commander, whose leading and handling should command a certain number of marks.

*6. The Attack Competition for Cavalry and Mounted Infantry.*

A position should be prepared resembling a bridge head, manned by dummy figures, representing a portion of an enemy's advanced guard holding it for the passage of a larger body. Troops, or smaller bodies, should form dismounted at a given distance, and attack under service conditions, horses meanwhile being kept handy under cover. After firing a given number of rounds, it should be presumed that the enemy is driven off, then the horses should be signalled for, and a rush made for the bridge. The form of blowing it up should be gone through by igniting a small fougass by common fuse or by some other method, &c. Time taken would be an important element in this contest.

*7. The "Rorke's Drift" Stakes.*

This competition should be carried out on a dark night, from a presumably defensive position. Screens representing an enemy whose direction and distance is known should be improvised. Sections should compete, firing by volleys. Luminous tape should be applied to the back and fore sights of the rifles, as taught at the Hythe School of Musketry.

*8. The Revolver Contest.*

This should be competed for by officers, and all who by regulation carry a revolver in the field. The fire should be individual, at a man figure, advancing at close distances, say 25 to 5 yards.

*9. The Entrenchment Competition.*

This should be carried out by sections. Head and shoulder targets should be fixed on a scaffolding pole, and be made to appear and disappear behind a shelter trench representing an enemy firing, and then lying low under cover.

*N.B.*—Officers should be encouraged to take part in these contests, as it is essential to success that they should manifest an interest in the meeting.

These competitions should take place in service dress and equipment.

There are many other events having affinity to field-firing, such as signalling, judging distance by day and by night, by flash and sound, ambulance work, &c., &c., which no doubt would suggest themselves to the Committee of Management as worthy of a place in the programme.

Many of the above events have objects identical with those of the "Field practices" of the annual course of Musketry, and some are included in a prospectus of a Tactical Field Rifle Meeting, lately held by the Nagpur Field Force, East Indies."

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With reference to para. 10 of India Army Circulars, clause 115 of 1888, it is notified that the list of native soldiers recommended for meritorious service medals with annuity, and good conduct medals, with or without gratuity, will be closed and passed to Government at the end of March: recommendations for 1889 received after that date cannot be entertained.

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Colonel on the Staff H. J. Thornton, Commanding Royal Artillery, Upper Burma Force, and his Adjutant, Captain C. M. F. Western, Royal Artillery, are directed to proceed from Mandalay to Rangoon to command the Artillery in Burmah.

Under Transport Regulations, Part II, para. 514, clause (*k*).

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 20th March* 1889.

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Information having been received from the Horse Guards that no general return of officers who have been engaged in the operations in Upper Burma has yet been received at the War Office, the Commander-in-Chief desires to call the attention of Officers Commanding British Corps to Horse Guard's General Order No. 208 of 1882, and directs that returns as therein laid down covering the period of the recent Burmese War, be furnished to the War Office forthwith, and supplementary returns henceforward submitted annually on the 1st of January, in view to the completion and correction of officers' war services in the Official Army List.

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant :

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| 2nd Lieut. | Sir C. Cuyler, *Bart.* | ...Oxfordshire Light Infantry. |
| ,, | C. C. Pearson | ... ,, ,, ,, |
| ,, | A. S. Crum | ... ,, ,, ,, |

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*21st Hussars.*—2nd Lieutenant A. J. N. Harward (Officiating Wing Officer on probation, 19th Punjab Infantry), to Rawal Pindi, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages.

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**No. 167.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, for the periods specified opposite their names :—

*21st Hussars.*—2nd Lieutenant F. H. Cripps-Day, in extension, from the 22nd March to the 18th May 1889. On medical certificate.

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Captain and Brevet-Major H. N. C. Heath, from the 5th February to the 31st March 1889. On private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*—2nd Lieutenant F. W. S. Rogers, in extension, from the 26th February to the 15th April 1889, on private affairs.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave of absence :—

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Lieutenant-Colonel W. B. Butlin, to England, for six months, on urgent private affairs.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*Royal Horse Artillery.*—Captain J. W Dunlop, H Battery B Brigade, for six months, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave of absence :—

*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps.*—Lieutenant G. H. Bruce, for one year, on private affairs.

Lieutenant A. H. Isaac, for one year, on private affairs.

*Madras Railway Volunteers.*—Lieutenant W. Heaton, to England, for six months, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Errata.*—In G. O. C. No. 483 of 1888, *for* Private Ho*b*son, *read* Private Ho*d*son.

In G. O. C. No. 47 of 1889, page 27, *for* "Jemadar Shaik Ibrahim, 19th Madras Infantry," *read* "Jemadar Shaik Ebram, 9th Madras Infantry."

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BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
12*th April* 1889.

**No. 168.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 15th and 19th March 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 11th instant.

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**No. 169.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers of Royal Engineers are brought on the strength of the Indian Establishment with effect from the 26th February 1889, the date of their embarkation for India :—

Lieutenant G. M. Hutton, Royal Engineers.
2nd Lieutenant H. J. M. Marshall, Royal Engineers.
2nd Lieutenant W. D. Waghorn, Royal Engineers.

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**No. 170.**—Intimation having been received from the Horse Guards, that Lieutenant A. C. Tulloch has been transferred from No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division, to U Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, he is directed to join the latter Battery accordingly.

Under para. 514 (*k*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 171.**—The name of Lieutenant St. J. Meyrick, 1st Battalion Gordon Highlanders, is added to the list of officers detailed to attend a course of Garrison Instruction in G. O. C. No. 70 of 1889.

**No. 172.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names :—

1*st April* 1889.

*Madras.*

Lieutenant J. Kendall, Staff Corps ... ... Higher Standard.

*Bangalore.*

Lieutenant E. H. Bland, Royal Engineers.
2nd Lieutenant W. N. Evans, 21st Hussars.
Corporal H. S. P. Curtis, ,,
Lance Corporal H. W. A. White, ,,
Private T. Henry, ,,
2nd Lieutenant F. W. Bagshawe, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
2nd Lieutenant F. G. Moberly ,, ,,
Private G. Watson, ,, ,,
Lieutenant A. S. Arnold, 18th Hussars, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Bellary.*

Major G. A. Ashby, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.
2nd Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, Dorsetshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.
,, W. G. Nisbett, Royal West Surrey Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Trichinopoly.*

2nd Lieutenant W. R. Stone, Lancashire Fusiliers, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Wellington.*

Lieutenant G. W. T. Prowse, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.
Private M. Mahoney, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

(Bangalore to Wellington: Lower Standard.)

**No. 173.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.*—2nd Lieutenant E. A. R. Howell, 6th Dragoon Guards, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating squadron officer (on probation). Dated 30th March 1889.

*1st Madras Pioneers.*—2nd Lieutenant A. P. How, Royal West Kent Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 1st April 1889.

*4th Madras Pioneers.*—2nd Lieutenant E. F. Rainey, 2nd West India Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 31st March 1889.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant W. L. Fair, Wiltshire Regiment, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 26th March 1889.

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**No. 174.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the periods specified opposite their names :—

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Captain J. R. K. Birch, from the 3rd March to the 19th May 1889, on medical certificate.

*2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*—Lieutenant C. R. Heastey, from the 6th March to the 21st May 1889, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Staff Corps.*—Major F. C. Maltby, second in command, 16th Regiment Madras Infantry, for one day, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension, of the 90 days' privilege leave granted him by the General Officer Commanding, Upper Burma Force. India. Private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Lieutenant G. Head, to England for 6 months, on medical certificate.

*2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant B. Upperton, to England for one year on private affairs.

*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*—Honorary Surgeon P. Anderson, for one year. India. Private affairs.

*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps.*—Major T. Smith, to Europe for one year, on private affairs.

*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps.*—Captain W. W. G. Beatson, to Europe for one year, on private affairs.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major C. H. Swayne, to England for 6 months, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
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BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
18*th April* 1889.

**No. 175.**—A School of Musketry will be formed at Secunderabad this year and two classes will be held, *viz:*—

1st, from the 8th June to the 6th August.
2nd, from the 1st September to the 30th October.

2. The establishment of each school will consist of—

| | | | |
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| 1 | Chief Instructor | | |
| 1 | Junior Instructor | | |
| 1 | Native Officer Instructor on a staff salary of Rs. 25 per mensem. | | |
| 1 | Sergeant Major. | | |
| 1 | Sergeant Instructor, British Cavalry, Rs. 20 per mensem, for the period the classes are open. | | |
| 4 | Sergeant Instructors, British Infantry, | ,, 20 | ditto. |
| 1 | Havildar Instructor, Native Cavalry, | ,, 10 | ,, |
| 2 | Havildar Instructors, Native Infantry | ,, 10 | ,, |
| *1 | Sergeant Marker ... ... | ,, 15 | ,, |
| *1 | Corporal Marker ... ... | ,, 10 | ,, |
| *2 | Buglers ... ... ... | ,, 10 | ,, |
| *9 | Privates ... ... ... | ,, 10 | ,, |

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*Will be detailed by the General Officer Commanding the Secunderabad District.

And the following allowances have been sanctioned by Government:—

| | | Per mensem. |
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| Office allowance ... ... ... | Rs. | 45 |
| Mess allowance, per British Officer ... | ,, | 10 |
| Stationery allowance, per class ... ... | ,, | 25 |
| Conservancy ... ... ... | ,, | 10 |

3. The numbers to be under instruction at each class are:—

10 Officers of British Regiments,
10 Officers of Native Regiments,
20 Warrant Officers and Sergeants,
10 Native Officers,
10 Havildars,

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All the above ranks together with the Instructors will be detailed by General Officers Commanding Districts according to the following table:—

| From | Officers. | | British Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers. | Native Officers. | Havildars. | Instructors. | | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | British Troops. | | Native Troops. | | |
| | British Regiments. | Native Regiments. | | | | Cavalry. | Infantry. | Cavalry. | Infantry. | |
| Secunderabad District ... | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | The Instructors are to be detailed for both classes. |
| Burma ,, ... | 3 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 3 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | |
| Belgaum ,, ... | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | |
| Bangalore ,, ... | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | |
| Southern ,, ... | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | |
| Madras ,, ... | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| Hyderabad Contingent... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| Total .. | 10 | 10 | 20 | 10 | 10 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | |

4. In the event of the detail allotted to a command not being fully taken up, the fact should be notified at once to the General Officer Commanding Secunderabad District, in order that, should there be additional candidates for instruction in another command, he may thus fill the vacancy. An increased number of officers of either British or Native Corps may attend a class provided there are vacancies and the total number allowed, *viz.*, 20, is not exceeded; but no exchanges can be permitted in the detail of other ranks.

5. Attention is invited to para. 82 of the standing orders of the Schools of Musketry in India, para. 258 of the British and para. 400 of the Native Musketry Regulations, and Commanding Officers are reminded that an officer who has once completed a course and obtained a company certificate can, with the sanction of the Adjutant General, only attend the examinations at the end of another course, provided that no expense is charged to the public.

6. The Non-Commissioned Officers selected for Instructors are to be despatched to Secunderabad in sufficient time to admit of their reporting themselves on the 28th May next, for the purpose of undergoing a course under an Officer Instructor, of gun drill and instruction in night and angular firing previous to the opening of the school.

7. The Commander-in-Chief desires to impress on General Officers Commanding the necessity for great care in the selection of Non-Commissioned Officers as Instructors. The work required from them is of a special nature, and it should be ensured that they are capable of undertaking it, and are most exemplary in their conduct.

8. A Nominal roll of all ranks detailed for instruction at the first class and of the Instructors should be communicated to the General Officer Commanding the Secunderabad District by the 20th May, and a similar roll of those detailed for the second class, by the 12th August. These rolls are to contain a certificate that both officers and Non-Commissioned officers detailed for instruction are well acquainted with the Martini-Henry firing exercises—

Officers and Non-Commissioned officers detailed to attend the classes for instruction should arrive at Secunderabad two days prior to the date the classes are ordered to assemble.

9. The Sergeant Instructors are allowed, if married, to take their families with them, and they will remain at the schools until the termination of the 2nd class.

10. Each British Officer and Non Commissioned Officer will take with him a copy of the British Musketry Regulations, 1887, corrected to date. The former are also recommended to be in possession of "Bond's Treatise on Military Small Arms and ammunition," "Mayne's Fire Tactics," and sufficient stationery to last the course, the latter being provided by the State for Non-Commissioned Officers only.

11. A nominal roll of all present is to be furnished direct to the office of the Adjutant General, Ootacamund, as soon as each class is formed.

12. All Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers must have previously gone through a recruit's course of musketry, and the British Non-Commissioned Officers must be in possession of a 2nd class certificate of education.

13. Every officer and Non-Commissioned Officer must be medically inspected and reported fit for duty before he leaves his Corps; the rifle or carbine of the latter must be carefully examined by an armourer, and any defect remedied, and British Non-Commissioned Officers must arrive fully armed and equipped.

14. Should there be a difficulty in detailing a sufficient number of Color Sergeants (to whom preference should be given), Sergeants or Lance Sergeants, to attend a course, Corporals in possession of 2nd class educational certificates may be selected; but before leaving their Corps they must be made provisional Lance Sergeants for three months to enable them to be examined for a certificate.

15. In the selection of officers preference is to be given to—

*British Service*—(1) to those commanding troops or companies who are not in possession of a school of musketry certificate;

(2) to Lieutenants at or near the top of the list for promotion to Captain,

*Indian Service.*—To Adjutants of Native Corps not already in possession of an extra certificate of musketry.

16. The following table (extract from Bengal G. O. C., dated 2nd April 1889, page 141), showing the arms, accoutrements and ammunition sanctioned for the schools, is republished for guidance in the preparation of indents :—

*Statement shewing the arms, ammunition, &c., now allowed for each school of musketry, with the additions necessary on account of the increase in the strength of the classes.*

| Bengal and Madras schools. Items. | Numbers at present allowed for: Officers, British regiments. (16) | Officers, Native regiments. | 30 Warrant officers and sergeants. | Native officers. | Native non-commissioned officers. | 6 Instructors, British. | Instructors, Native. | Additional numbers required under revised scale for: 10 officers, British corps. | 10 Officers, Native corps. | 20 Warrant officers and sergeants. | 10 Native officers. | 10 Native non-commissioned officers. | 6 Instructors, British. | 3 Instructors, Native. | Total number which will be in possession. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Martini-Henry carbines... | 4 | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 4 | ... | ... | 12 per school. |
| ,, rifles ... | 16 | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | | ... | 10 | 10 | ... | ... | 40 ,, |
| Revolvers ... ... | 4 | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | 8 ,, |
| Waist belts with pouches | 16 | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (c) | ... | ... | ... | 16 ,, |
| Bayonets, Martini-Henry | 16 | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 10 | ... | ... | 36 ,, |
| Scabbards ... ... | 16 | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 10 | ... | ... | 36 ,, |
| Frogs, bayonet ... | 16 | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | 10 | ... | ... | 36 ,, |
| Cartridges, Martini-Henry rifle or carbine. | (a) 200 | (a) 200 | (a) 200 | ... | | (a) 200 | ... | ... | ... | ... | (a) 200 | (a) 200 | ... | (a) 200 | 200 per officer and man. |
| Cartridges, solid case, for machine guns. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 50 | 50 | 50 | ... | ... | 50 | ... | 50 per British officer and non-commissioned officer |
| Cartridges, breech-loading Enfield revolver. | 24 | 24 | 24 | ... | ... | 24 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 24 | 24 | | 24 | 24 per officer and man. |
| Cartridges, blank Martini-Henry or Snider. | (b) 40 | (b) 40 | (b) 40 | ... | ... | (b) 40 | ... | (b) 50 | (b) 50 | (b) 50 | (b) 40 | (b) 40 | (b) 50 | (b) 40 | 40 per officer and man, with 50 extra to British officers and non-commissioned officers for machine gun practice. |

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(a)—Includes annual allowance. Snider ammunition will not be drawn for those Native non-commissioned officers who execute a course at the Schools with Martini-Henry rifles.
(b)—In addition to annual allowance.
(c)—Native officers should be regimentally provided with waist belts with pouches.

**No. 176.**—In modification of G.O.C. No. 251 of 1888, page 135, it is notified for information that, in future, all applications for the replacement of lost Medals to native soldiers should be disposed of by General Officers Commanding Districts in direct communication with the Controller of Military Accounts, Madras, only special cases, or those in which it is recommended that Medals be replaced at the cost of the State, being submitted for the orders of Government.

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(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 177.**—In future the term "Sanitary Camp," is to be used in substitution of "Cholera Camp," when reference is made to paras. 8 and 9 of the Cholera Rules (Appendix 51, Army Regulations, India, Volume VI).

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**No. 178.**—The undermentioned have passed the examination noted against their names :—

*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps.*

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| Color Sergeant Thomas Cribb<br>Sergeant James Ragaven<br>Corporal John Leslie | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |

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**No. 179.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant H. T. King, Staff Corps, 33rd Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, 4th Class, Moulmein. Dated 24th February 1889.

*14th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant A. M. Anderson, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 4th April 1889.

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**No. 180.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon H. J. McLaughlin, M.B., in medical charge, Station Hospital, Malapuram, to do duty Madras District. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Surgeon C. A. Young, doing duty Madras District, to the medical charge of the Station Hospital, Malapuram. To travel expeditiously at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

**No. 181.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 27th March* 1889.

In consequence of several cases having occurred of 2nd Lieutenants passing the examination in subjects (*a*) and (*b*) before they had completed one year's service, it is notified for information and guidance that in accordance with the provisions of section IX., para. 52, Queen's Regulations, officers of this rank before presenting themselves for examination for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant must have been dismissed from all drills and have completed not less than one year's service. No relaxation of this rule will be allowed.

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Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel G. A. Hillyard, Rifle Brigade, is directed to proceed from Upper Burma to Bareilly to join the 1st battalion of his regiment into which he has recently been promoted. Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (*i*), and Part II, para. 514, clause (*k*).

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The undermentioned officers have been declared by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard in Hindustani, agreeably to section 24, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II.

*4th March* 1889.

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| Lieutenant R. Harman ... | Oxfordshire Light Infantry, probationer Bengal Staff Corps. |
| ,, R. C. O. Creagh ... | Royal Marine Light Infantry, probationer Madras Staff Corps. |

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The following officers having passed the examination laid down in para. 331, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, are quali-

fied for appointment on the Regimental general and personal Staff of the Army:

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Captain J. W. Parker ... ... Madras Staff Corps.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 29th March* 1889.

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Attention is invited to the following Army Orders, dated War Office, 1st February 1889:

Corrections to Queen's Regulations—

A. O. 61. Military Education—Classes—School of Military Engineering.

A. O. 62. Leave of absence.

A. O. 63. Transfer and service—Barrack Section of Army Service Corps.

A. O. 64. Discharges.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India directs that regimental bands, British and Native, are not to take part in native festivals and entertainments, except under the special sanction of General Officers Commanding obtained for each occasion. Under no circumstances is the attendance of bands in uniform to be permitted at private entertainments in native cities. When bands proceed under proper authority from one station to another, the orders applying to arrival and departure of detachments are to be observed.

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It is notified for information that no further issue of iron targets will be made to troops serving in this country.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:

*East Kent Regiment.*—2nd Lieutenant F. W. Lethbridge (officiating Wing Officer on probation 6th Punjab Infantry), to Abbottabad, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 2nd April* 1889.

It is notified for the information of Officers Commanding British Corps that the Government of India has approved† of the present pattern General Service haversack being improved in certain respects, notably by the introduction of a partition down the centre with the view of keeping the soldier's ration apart from such other articles he has to carry in it.

† Government letter No. 1927-G., Clothing, dated 6th November 1888.

The new pattern haversack will, moreover, be made deep enough to hold a *case* in which it is intended that the soldier's knife, fork and spoon should be carried. This case should be made up under Regimental arrangements of some material such as canvas strengthened with leather at one end strong enough to prevent the point of the knife and the prongs of the fork from piercing it.

The case should be carried with the points *downwards*, in the loops at the front edge.

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It having been brought to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief that the documents of men sent home for discharge and transfer to the reserve are in some cases improperly prepared and in others incomplete and not signed, His Excellency directs the particular attention of officers concerned to the instructions for the preparation of discharge documents laid down in the "Regulations for the discharge of soldiers of the British Forces serving in India," pages 18 to 28, as amended by General Orders ‡ Nos. 10, 57, 96, and 105 of 1888, and § 4, 12, and 19 of 1889.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :

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*1st Punjab Infantry.*—Colonel T. Higginson, to Kashmir, for six months, on private affairs.

*6th Punjab Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. H. Bernard, to Rawalpindi, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

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‡ S.G.O. Nos. 19, 46, 69 & 74 of 1888. § S.G.O. Nos. 10, 16 & 22 of 1889.

**No. 182.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—Captain G. H. H. Couchman, *D.S.O.*, to England, for one year, on private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*—2nd Lieutenant P. S. Beves, to England, for six months, on medical certificate.

*Madras Railway Volunteers.*—Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Trevithick, for six months, on medical certificate, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.G. No. 164 of 1888.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon A. T. L. Patch, for 6 months, from the 4th March 1889, or date of departure, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations, 1875. India. Medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*26th April* 1889.

**No. 183.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 67 of 1889, it is notified that Army Head Quarters will be re-established at Ootacamund on the 7th proximo.

**No. 184.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 22nd and 26th March 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 18th instant and those of the 29th March and 2nd April 1889 on the 25th idem.

**No. 185.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

1*st April* 1889.

*Secunderabad.*

Captain A. R. Cole-Hamilton, 7th Hussars.
„ N. A. Bray, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
2nd Lieutenant E. J. Buckley „ „ „
Lieutenant C. Ainslie, Royal Engineers.
„ C. E. Hendley, Staff Corps.
2nd Lieutenant L. I. Wood, Border Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.
Private C. Grant, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

*Belgaum.*

Lieutenant A. F. Johnson, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.
Park Sergeant J. R. Hunter, Royal Artillery.

**No. 186.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*District Staff.*—Major-General C. J. East, C.B., who has been appointed to the command of a 1st Class, District in this Presidency by G.O.G. No. 212 of 1889, is posted to the Secunderabad District.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon J. J. Moran, M.D., Madras District. to report himself to the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Belgaum and Bangalore Districts.

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**No. 187.**—The undermentioned officer and warrant officer have leave of absence :—

*Staff Corps.*—Lieutenant J. H. Smith, wing officer and Quarter Master, 13th Regiment Madras Infantry, for one day, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C. Nos. 181 and 276 of 1888. India. Medical certificate.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—1st Grade Assistant Apothecary D. Wooten, for one day, under the Furlough Regulations of 1875, in extension of the 90 days' privilege leave granted him by the General Officer Commanding Burma District. India. Private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*3rd May* 1889.

**No. 188.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 5th and 9th April 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 1st instant.

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**No. 189.**—The undermentioned have passed the examination noted against their names :—

*Burma State Railway Volunteer Corps.*

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| Lieutenant F. F. S. Carstairs ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant W. G. Cole ... ... | |
| ,, W. P. Mawson... ... | |
| Corporal T. Cox ... ... | |
| ,, J. B. Dexter ... ... | |
| ,, G. Jones ... ... | |
| ,, S. J. S. Hartnett ... | |
| Lance Corporal H. Richardson ... | |
| ,, ,, J. Bradbury ... | |
| Volunteer A. Scriven ... ... | |
| ,, P. Baxter ... ... | |
| ,, B. Williams ... ... | |

*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.*

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|---|---|
| Captain D. K. Macdonald ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Lieutenant J. H. Merrifield ... | |
| Color-Sergeant F. S. Sullivan ... | |
| Sergeant C. H. P. Schofield ... | |
| Corporal E. L. Page ... ... | |

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|---|---|
| Troop Sergt. Major A. G. Sutherland. | Para. 91, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |

*Rangoon Volunteer Rifle Corps.*

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|---|---|
| Sergeant S. McKertich ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| ,, C. F. Gailah ... ... | |
| ,, D. T. C. McCoubrey ... | |
| ,, J. B. Huffton ... ... | |
| ,, P. Misquita ... ... | |
| Corporal A. E. Owen ... ... | |
| Sergeant J. Ferrault ... ... | |

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**No. 190.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names:—

20*th and* 22*nd April* 1889.

*Wellington.*

Captain C. B. Little, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.

*Secunderabad.*

Lieutenant J. G. Baldwin, Royal Artillery ... ...
,, W. H. W. Mercer, Staff Corps ... ...

*Bangalore.*

Lieutenant L. W. Y. Campbell, Derbyshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Higher Standard.

1*st April* 1889.

*Myingyan.*

Lieutenant E. L. Sullivan, 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.

*Mandalay.*

Lieutenant F. H. Oldfield, Royal Engineers ... ...
,, L. H. Walker, Staff Corps ... ...

*Ganjau, Chin Frontier, 3rd April* 1889.

2nd Lieutenant G. M. MacHutchin, South Staffordshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Lower Standard.

**No. 191.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant T. E. W. Bidgood, Royal Artillery, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 14th April 1889.

*30th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. C. Johnstone, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, to be officiating wing officer and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 16th April 1889.

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**No. 192.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General H. M. Bengough, C.B., who has been brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment as a District Commander, 2nd Class, in G.O.G. No. 90 of 1889, to the command of the Bangalore District. Dated 22nd April 1889.

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. F. P. Paxton, wing officer, 17th Regiment Madras Infantry, and doing duty with the 15th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon A. H. Waddell, on arrival from on leave to England, to do duty Station Veterinary Hospital, Secunderabad.

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**No. 193.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 10th April* 1889.

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It is notified for information and guidance that the Government of India have sanctioned the substitution gradually of Lushai Dandies, from those now in hand, for the doolies at present maintained in regimental charge, and the gradual introduction of the "Collis dandy" to replace deficiencies in the establishment as they occur.

None of the dandies at present maintained are to be replaced until they are worn out.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 11th April* 1889.

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With the sanction of Government, Colonel H. B. Sanderson, Deputy Judge Advocate General, is appointed to officiate as Judge Advocate General in India, vice Colonel Hughes-Hallett, on furlough, dated 25th March 1889.

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In continuation of G. O. C. C.,† dated 15th February 1889, page 53, it is notified that the undermentioned officer passed the Lower Standard in Hindustani on the 7th January 1889 :

2nd Lieut. A. J. N. Harward { 21st Hussars, Probationer Bengal Staff Corps.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 13th April* 1889.

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Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the Commander-in-Chief directs that Officers Commanding Regiments, Battalions and Batteries serving in India will give due notice to all soldiers eligible for re-engagement whose first term of limited engagement will expire during the present year, and who would consequently be sent home for discharge during the trooping season of 1889-90, that if they omit to take advantage of the provisions of Horse Guards' General Order 124 of 1886, by re-engaging in India and applying to come home under the conditions therein laid down the Regulations contained in para. 77, Section XIX, Queen's Regulations which forbid the re-engagement of such men on their arrival in England, will be strictly enforced in future.

Commanding Officers are also reminded that the returns required by G. Os. 24 ‡ of 1883 and § 37 of 1887, which are to be in duplicate, and the returns of non-commissioned officers distinct from those of the men, are due in this Office on the 1st June next and should be punctually submitted by that date.

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In continuation of G. O. C. C., ‖ dated 5th January 1889, page 17, it is notified for general information that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has approved of Color Sergeants, who

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† G.O.C. No. 121 of 1889. ‡ S.G.O. No. 18 of 1883, pages 37 to 39.
§ S.G.O. No. 23 of 1887, page 37. ‖ G.O.C. No. 44 of 1889, page 23.

actually held that rank on the 1st January 1889, being considered eligible for appointment as Regimental Sergeant Majors without being in possession of 1st Class certificates of education.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla,* 16*th April* 1889.

Attention is invited to clause 191, India Army Circulars 1888, regarding the examination in the Russian language.

The first examination in India will be held on Monday the 8th July 1889, and applications for permission to be examined should reach the Adjutant General's Office, Simla, by the 15th of May punctually.

The stations where examinations will be held will be notified in due course and examination papers furnished as required.

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**No. 194.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona,* 18*th April* 1889.

178. The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

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*9th Bombay Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant C. J. Kendall, 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment, a candidate for the Staff Corps, to officiate as Wing Officer on probation. Dated 12th April 1889.

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**No. 195.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the periods specified opposite their names :—

*1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain B. de M. Leathes, from the 4th April to the 22nd June 1889, on medical certificate.

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Captain C. H. Chapman, from the 15th to the 30th April 1889. On private affairs.

The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General G. J. Smart, Royal Artillery, Commanding Madras District, privilege leave for 15 days, from the 4th May 1889, or date of departure.

*Madras Artillery Volunteers.*—Lieutenant J. C. E. Branson, in India, for two years, on private affairs.

*Madras Railway Volunteers.*—2nd Lieutenant A. Butterworth, out of India. for 14 weeks, on private affairs.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon H. J. McLaughlin, to England, for six months, on urgent private affairs.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—2nd Grade Apothecary J. W. Prichard, for 182 days, from the 2nd February 1889, or date of departure, under the Furlough Regulations of 1868. India. Medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*10th May* 1889.

**No. 196.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 12th and 16th April 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 8th instant.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 197.**—In continuation of G.O.C. No. 529 of 1888, it is hereby notified for information that the date of assembly of District Classes in Army Signalling is left to the discretion of General Officers Commanding the Districts concerned.

**No. 198.**—The undermentioned have passed the examinations noted against their names :—

*Madras Artillery Volunteers.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Battery Sergeant Major J. Upshon | Para. 93, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant R. Johnson ... ... | |
| ,, J. A. Doyle ... ... | |
| ,, J. A. Williams ... | |
| ,, W. J. Evers ... ... | |
| ,, E. V. Beeby ... ... | |
| ,, A. De Monte ... | |

*Madras Volunteer Guards.*

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|---|---|
| 2nd Lieutenant N. P. Adams ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant H. Scott ... ... | |
| Lance Corporal G. S. Nicholas ... | |
| Sergeant J. Peat ... ... | |
| Lance Sergeant J. D. Rozario ... | |
| Corporal E. L. D'Costa ... | |
| ,, J. Campbell ... ... | |
| Lance Corporal F. A. Coshan ... | |
| Corporal J. D. Ryan ... ... | |
| ,, C. F. Hall ... ... | |
| Lance Corporal P. Burke ... | |
| ,, ,, J. Fisher ... | |

*Godavari Rifle Volunteers.*

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|---|---|
| Lieutenant J. Innes ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Color Sergeant H. Farrington ... | |
| Sergeant C. R. Wilkinson ... | |
| ,, E P. Waring... ... | |
| Private T. Buckley ... ... | |
| ,, E. A. Brookes... ... | |
| ,, C. Hoffland ... ... | |

*Madras Railway Volunteers.*

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|---|---|
| Captain A. W. Darke... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| ,, R. Sewell ... ... | |
| Lieutenant J. W. Reynolds ... | |
| ,, T. Wake ... ... | |
| ,, F. W. Read ... | |
| 2nd Lieutenant A. Butterworth ... | |

*Bellary Volunteer Rifles.*

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|---|---|
| Color Sergeant G. Barnes ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant H. Dwyer ... ... | |
| ,, H. Blake ... ... | |
| ,, R. Aldridge ... ... | |
| Corporal H. S. King ... ... | |

*Vizagapatam Rifle Volunteers.*

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|---|---|
| Color Sergeant H. Jones ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant A. Farquhar... ... | |
| Corporal W. Laffrey ... ... | |
| ,, S. Middleton... ... | |
| Lance Corporal A. Hodson ... | |
| ,, ,, B. Senkaram ... | |
| Private F. McMurray ... ... | |

**No. 199.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Elementary Standard in Burmese :—

*Shwebo, 4th and 5th December* 1888.

No. 1026, Hospital Assistant, 1st Grade, Z. Jacobs, Sub-Medical Department.

*Mandalay, 2nd April* 1889.

Lieutenant A. F. P. Paxton, Staff Corps.
Havildar Shaik Davood, 32nd Regiment Madras Infantry.

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**No. 200.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani :—

20*th and* 22*nd April* 1889.

*Aurungabad.*

Lieutenant H. S. Langhorne, Royal Artillery.

*Hingoli.*

Lieutenant F. M. Davidson, Royal Artillery.

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**No. 201.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

17*th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant L. J. Andrews, wing officer and Quarter Master, to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain Warden who vacates on promotion. Dated 30th January 1889.

Lieutenant W. G. Hodgson, wing officer, to be wing officer and Quarter Master, *vice* Lieutenant Andrews appointed Adjutant. Dated 13th February 1889.

31*st Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. A. Oswald, wing officer, to be wing officer and Quarter Master. Dated 1st April 1889.

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**No. 202.**—With reference to G. O. G. No. 188 of 1889, the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings of the General Officers Commanding and District Staff Officers whose appointments have been approved by Government :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General G. B. Wolseley, C.B., A.D.C., *h.p.*, to the Command of the Mandalay District.

Brigadier-General W. P. Symons, to the Command of the Myingyan District.

Colonel G. Rowlandson, Staff Corps, to the Command of the Rangoon District, on being relieved of the Command of the Southern District by Brigadier-General Faunce.

Colonel A. B. Morgan, C.B., *h.p.*, District Staff Officer, 1st Class, late Assistant Adjutant and Quarter Master General, Upper Burma Force, to the Burma District.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. R. D. MacNeill, C.B., 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, District Staff Officer, 1st Class, to the Mandalay District.

Brevet-Major A. G. B. Ternan, 44th Regiment Bengal Infantry, District Staff Officer, 1st Class, late Brigade-Major, 2nd Brigade, Upper Burma Force, to the Myingyan District.

Major C. D. M. Gall, District Staff Officer, 1st Class, to the Southern District.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel S. E. Rolland, 26th Regiment Madras Infantry, District Staff Officer, 1st Class, late Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quarter Master General, 2nd Brigade, Upper Burma Force, to the Rangoon District.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. Simpson, 11th Regiment Madras Infantry, District Staff Officer, 1st Class, from the Rangoon to the Secunderabad District.

Captain H. W. Ind, Royal Artillery, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, to the Burma District.

Captain A. G. Burn, 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, to the Southern District.

Captain C. E. Poynder, 5th Regiment Madras Infantry, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, late Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quarter Master General, 1st Brigade, Upper Burma Force, to the Mandalay District.

Captain E. E. Forbes, 2nd Madras Lancers, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, late Brigade-Major, 1st Brigade, Upper Burma Force, to the Myingyan District.

Captain C. M. T. Western, Royal Artillery, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, to the Rangoon District.

Colonel C. Hayter, C.B. Staff Corps, Colonel on the Staff, to Bhamo.

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**No. 203.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major J. Martin, senior medical officer of the Station Hospital, Saint Thomas' Mount, to do general duty Madras District. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

**No. 204.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 18th April* 1889.

In order to bring the musketry instruction of the Native Army as far as possible into conformity with the actual requirements of war, the Commander-in-Chief has directed the publication of the following tables, which are to be substituted for those at pages 33 and 34 of the Regulations for conducting the musketry instruction of the Native Army :

## CAVALRY.

### RANGE PRACTICES.

*1st Period (Individual).*

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. | | Position. | Classification. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Yds. | Rounds. | | | M.-H. | Snider |
| 3rd class | 150 | 5 | Standing ... | Marksman .. | 85 | 70 |
| | 300 | 5 | Kneeling or sitting ... | 1st class ... | 70 | 50 |
| 2nd class... | 500 | 10 | 5 rounds lying down and then 5 sitting. | 2nd class ... | 50 | 35 |
| 1st class .. | 600 | 10 | Any Military position | 3rd class, under | 50 | 35 |

*2nd Period (Collective).*

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. | | Position. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Yds. | Rounds. | |
| 6 feet by 12 feet, khaki color ; one foot to be left white at top, all hits, including ricochets, to count one point. Two 2nd class targets may be utilised. | 600 | 5 | Volleys, lying down. |
| | 500 | 5 | ,, ,, |
| | 400 | 5 | ,, ,, |
| 3 feet high, 8 feet long, khaki color band of 6 inches to be left white at top of target ; all hits, including ricochets, to count one point. | 300 | 5 | Rapid volleys, sitting. |

*Field Practices.*

| Rounds. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 10 | Commandant's allowance. | To be expended at such times and in such field practices as under the direction of General Officers may be deemed best for the purpose of improving the shooting of the men. |
| 10 | Regimental or brigade field firing. | |

Those who fail to obtain 50 points (Snider 35 points) in the Individual Range Practices will repeat their entire 1st Period, utilising for this purpose the 20 rounds sanctioned for their collective firing together with the commandant's allowance of 10 rounds. They will execute the 2nd Period with blank ammunition.

*Recruits.*

This course will remain as at present, except that recruits will henceforth execute volley firing at 400 and 500 yards, as laid down for Infantry recruits, in lieu of skirmishing.

The individual firing is to be divided into three periods, *viz.* :

1st Period —100 and 200 yards ; 10 rounds at each distance.

2nd ,, —300 and 400 ,, ,, ,,

3rd ,, —500 and 600 ,, ,, ,,

Recruits are required to obtain 40 points (Snider 30 points) in the 1st Period before being passed to the 2nd, and a similar number in the 2nd Period before being passed to the 3rd. In the 3rd Period they must obtain 30 points (Snider 20 points) before qualifying as trained recruits :

# INFANTRY.

## RANGE PRACTICES.

### *1st Period (Individual.)*

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. | | Position. | Classification. | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Yds. | Rounds. | | | Martini-Henry. | Snider. | *Object.* |
| 3rd class ... | 150 | 5 | Standing. ... | Marksman ... | ·90 | 80 | The development of individual marksmanship. |
| | 300 | 5 | Kneeling ... | 1st class ... | 75 | 65 | |
| 2nd class ... | 500 | 10 | 5 rounds lying down and then 5 kneeling. | 2nd class ... | 55 | 45 | |
| 1st class ... | 700 | 10 | Lying down ... | 3rd class, under | 55 | 45 | |

## 2nd Period (Collective.)

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. Yds. | Rounds. | Description of fire. | Position. | Sights. | Remarks. *Object.* |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 feet by 12 feet, khaki color; one foot to be left white at top; all hits, including ricochets, to count one point. Two 2nd class targets may be utilised. | 800<br>700 | 5<br>5 | Section volleys | Extended order. Any military position. | Regulation. Aim to be taken at bottom of target, full sight. | The instruction of all ranks in the rapid and effective employment of collective fire. |
| 6 feet by 8 feet as above ... | 600 | 5 | Section volleys | Extended order. Kneeling. | Regulation ... | Ditto. |
| 6 feet by 8 feet as above, but at this distance hits on white not to count. | 500 | 5 | | | | |
| 6 feet by 8 feet as above, but two feet to be left white at top. | 400 | 5 | Rapid section volleys, fixed bayonets. | Kneeling | Ditto ... | Ditto. |
| 3 feet high and 8 feet long, khaki color; band of 6 inches to be left white at top of target. All hits, including richochets, to count one point. | 300 | 5 | Ditto ... | Standing | Ditto. | |
| | 200 | 5 | Rapid independent, fixed bayonets. One minute allowed, and no shots to be fired after the expiration of that period. | Standing. Rank entire. | Fixed at 300 yards. | |

## FIELD PRACTICES.

*When practicable these exercises are to be performed off the range.*

| Practice. | Distance, rounds, &c. Yds. | Rounds. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moving ... ... ... | Between 100 and 200. | 5 | The method of conducting these practices is entirely optional. The targets may bear any suitable device, but must not exceed 2 feet square. |
| Vanishing ... ... ... | Between 100 and 200. | 5 | |
| Attack ... ... ... | 600 to 150 | 10 | 2 targets 3 feet by 8 feet (as at 300 yards, 2nd Period). Targets to be at least 20 feet apart. |
| Skirmishing ... ... | 450 and 200 | 10 | |
| Company field firing ... ... | ...... | 10 | |
| Brigade or regimental field firing... | ...... | 10 | |
| Commandant's allowance ... | ...... | 15 | To be expended at such times and in such field practices as under the direction of General Officers may be deemed best for the purpose of improving the shooting of the men. |

Men who fail to obtain 55 points (Snider 45 points) in the 1st Period range practices are debarred from executing moving, vanishing or skirmishing practices, and the 20 rounds of ammunition thus made available, together with 10 rounds to be taken from the Commandant's allowance, will be utilised for the purpose of causing these 3rd class shots to repeat the 1st Period during the current season. This repeated practice will not be included when calculating the Figure of Merit.

The Figure of Merit of all corps will be based on the results obtained in the 1st and 2nd periods of the range practices.

*Prizes.*

The distribution of money prizes will, subject to the approval of the General Officer Commanding, be left mainly to the discretion of Commanding Officers, who will give it to such companies, sections or individuals as may be considered desirable. Further instructions will be issued upon this subject at a later date.

*Recruits.*

This course will remain as at present.

The individual firing will be divided into three periods, *viz.*:

1st period—100 and 200 yards,

2nd ,, 300 and 400 ,,

3rd ,, 500 and 600 ,,

Recruits are required to obtain 55 points (Snider 50 points) in the 1st Period before being passed to the 2nd, and a similar number in the 2nd Period before being passed to the 3rd. In the 3rd Period they must obtain 45 points (Snider 40 points) before qualifying as trained recruits.

Regiments are permitted to commence the 1st Period range practices (individual firing) at once, but as some modifications may yet be made in the 2nd Period (collective firing), they will not execute this portion of their course until further orders.

It will be seen that the 1st Period range practices must henceforth always precede the field practices.

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 22nd April 1889.*

Attention is invited to the following Army Orders, dated War Office, 1st March 1889:

Corrections to Queen's Regulations 1885:

A. O. 121.—Staff College.
A. O. 122.—Recruiting.
A. O. 123.—Dress of officers.
A. O. 124.—Discharge.
A. O. 125.—Declaration on re-engagement.
A. O. 126.—Barrack section—Army Service Corps.

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

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Attention is invited to the following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st March 1889:

A. O. 137.—Military Settlers in the Colonies.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments:

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*2nd Punjab Cavalry.*—Lieutenant W. N. Campbell, supernumerary on the establishment of the Regiment, to be Squadron Officer, *vice* Jones, seconded for employment in the Burma Police

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant:

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|---|---|---|
| 2nd Lieut. | W. E. A. C. Hervey ... | Royal Innis. Fusiliers. |
| ,, | E. J. Buckley ... | ,, ,, |

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 23rd April 1889.*

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The attention of Officers Commanding regiments of British Cavalry and Infantry and batteries of Royal Artillery is directed to paragraph 2566, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, regarding the documents to be preserved for the due preparation of constitution returns required from Corps on quitting India.

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Officers preparing themselves for examination in subjects (*c*) and (*d*) for promotion to higher rank must, in addition to "Clery's Minor Tactics," base their studies on the latest official books such as the "Manual† of Infantry Drill," and where any discrepancies exist, the information given in the latest Regulation books must be the guide.

† G.O.C.C., page 91, of 1889.‡

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**No. 205.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the periods specified opposite their names :—

*21st Hussars.*—Lieutenant P. A. Kenna, from the 8th March to the 8th April 1889, on private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—Captain H. R. S. Cotton, from the 11th to the 30th April 1889, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General A. T. Cox, C.B., Staff Corps, Commanding Belgaum District, Burma privilege leave for 90 days, from 16th May 1889, or date of departure.

*1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain G. Massy, to England, for 183 days, on medical certificate.

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel D. Bond, to England, for 180 days, on medical certificate.

Captain J. H. Verschoyle, to England, for one year, on urgent private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.*—Lieutenant F. E. Glossop, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Captain the Hon'ble F. M. St. Aubyn, to England, for 183 days, on medical certificate.

*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*—Honorary Surgeon T. J. O'Donnell, to Europe, for five months, on private affairs.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major W. J. S. Campbell, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

‡ G.O.C. No. 156 of 1889, pages 85 and 86.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
17*th May* 1889.

**No. 206.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 19th and 23rd April 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 16th instant.

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(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 207.**—It is hereby notified for information that the following articles and allowances have been *sanctioned by the Government of India for the families of British Troops proceeding to the Convalescent Depôt at Wellington, in addition to those already allowed by Regulations:—

*P. M. G. No. 2823, dated 29th April 1889.

1. One barrack chair to each family with more than two children.
2. Two extra blankets per family with more than two children.
3. One two-bullock cart for each soldier's family in cases where the family consists of one woman and two or more children.
4. Baggage—half a maund per woman and a quarter maund per child, in addition to the authorised scale when proceeding by railway.

**No. 208.**—The undermentioned Officers will attend the course of Garrison Instruction commencing at Bangalore on the 1st June 1889:—

| Corps. | Rank and Name. |
|---|---|
| Staff Corps (13th Regiment Madras Infantry). | Capt. J. E. Preston, *D.S.O.* |
| ,, (30th ,, ,, | ,, T. W. J. M. Georges. |
| ,, (3rd Infantry Hyderabad Contingent). | ,, E. C. M. Lushington. |
| ,, (31st Regiment Light Infantry). | ,, G. C. Atkinson. |
| ,, (9th Regiment Madras Infantry). | ,, G. A. Carruthers. |
| ,, ( ,, ,, ,, ) | Lieut. L. R. Tuson. |
| Bengal Staff Corps (Adjutant, U. B. V. Rifles). | ,, W. J. Newell. |
| 21st Hussars ... ... | ,, D. Bowly. |
| 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | Capt. R. C. E. Marriott. |
| 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment... | Lieut. A. E. R. Tucker. |
| ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, W. R. Clifford. |
| ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, D. B. Thomas. |

Officers from out-stations will travel on duty at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 213 (*g*), and Part II, para. 514 (*i*).

*N.B.—All officers must be medically examined and reported fit to undergo the course.*

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**No. 209.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that second Lieutenant G. E. Reid, No. 2 Battery 1st Brigade Southern Division, has been transferred to I Battery 3rd Brigade Royal Artillery.

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**No. 210.**—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards, Captain A. B. N. Churchill, just promoted to that rank from Q Battery 1st Brigade, is directed to proceed from Secunderabad to England, to join No. 9 Battery 1st Brigade South Irish Division, Royal Artillery, to which he has been posted.

Under para. 256 (*i*), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 513 (*c*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

**No. 211.**—Copies of G. O. C. No. 204 of 1889, containing the alterations recently made in the Native Musketry Regulations, and printed on paper, about the same size as that used in those Regulations can be obtained from the Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, price each copy one anna.

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**No. 212.**—In continuation of G. O. C. No. 175 of 1889, the following officers are detailed as Instructors to the Musketry Classes to be held at Secunderabad:—

*1st Class. From the 8th June to 6th August.*

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR.

Major J. G. C. Curtis, officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, 2nd District.

JUNIOR INSTRUCTOR.

Captain R. C. Andrews, officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, 3rd District.

*2nd Class. From 1st September to 30th October.*

CHIEF INSTRUCTOR.

The Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, 1st District.

JUNIOR INSTRUCTOR.

Major J. G. C. Curtis, officiating Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, 2nd District.

The Head Quarters of the 1st Musketry District may be removed to Secunderabad and remain there during the time the Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry is at that station on duty connected with the school.

The Officer Instructors will take up their inspection duties as soon as possible after the examinations have been concluded and the papers despatched to Simla. The necessary railway warrants for the conveyance of the district clerks and office records not exceeding five maunds will be provided by General Officers Commanding.

**No. 213.**—The non-commissioned officers named below have been awarded silver medals for "long service and good conduct," *without gratuity*, under the provisions of Articles 1165 to 1183, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I:—

P. M. G. No. 3102, dated 10th May 1889.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor William Valentine Eden, Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor Walter Burton, Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor William Patrick McGuire, Yercaud Rifle Volunteers.

Sergeant William Henry Frederick Nicks, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

Sergeant Thornton Taylor, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor Richard White, Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

Barrack Sergeant Edwin Winkworth, Barrack Department.

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**No. 214.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names:—

*Mandalay*, 20*th and* 22*nd April* 1889.

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| Lieutenant H. E. C. B. Nepean, Royal West Kent Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.<br>" J. E. Capper, Royal Engineers ... | Higher Standard. |

*Madras*, 6*th May* 1889.

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| Lieutenant C. B. Jervis-Edwards, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.<br>Acting Bombardier G. Elliott, U/1st Royal Artillery. | Lower Standard. |

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**No. 215.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*District Staff.*—Major J. G. C. Curtis, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, 2nd District, *vice* Captain Riddell invalided.

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. H. Brabazon, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Jones appointed wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. W. Harris, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Boulderson appointed wing commander, sub. *pro tem*, 31st Regiment Light Infantry, but to continue doing duty with 5th Regiment Madras Infantry, until further orders.

*7th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer, to fill an existing vacancy.

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant T. E. W. Bidgood, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Lieutenant McIntyre seconded for employment in the Burma Military Police.

*15th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Lieutenant Thomas seconded for employment in the Commissariat Department.

Surgeon A. T. L. Patch, M.B., Indian Medical Service, to the medical charge of the regiment, *vice* Surgeon Major J. P. McDermott retired.

*22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. W. Newbold, wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, to be wing officer, *vice* Lieutenant Dawson, who vacates on appointment to the Civil Department.

*25th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant S. L. Aplin, officiating wing officer, 4th Pioneers, to be wing officer, to fill an existing vacancy but to continue seconded for employment in the Commissariat Department. Lieutenant Aplin will be graded regimentally next below Lieutenant Banbury.

Lieutenant C. H. Williams, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), to fill an existing vacancy but to continue doing duty with 27th Regiment Madras Infantry.

*33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant R. W. A. Denne, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), to fill an existing vacancy.

*Native Infantry Depôt.*—Captain A. G. H. Hayne, Staff Corps, Station Staff Officer, and officiating Commandant, Native Infantry Depôt, Pallaveram, is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 8th December 1888.

**No. 216.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon F. J. Crawford, M.D., officiating medical officer, 5th Regiment Madras Infantry, to the medical charge of the wing, 24th Regiment Madras Infantry at Sambulpore.

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**No. 217.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 30th April* 1889.

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The following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st March 1889, is republished for information :—

*A. O.* 121.—*The Staff College.*

1. The attention of the Commander-in-Chief has been drawn to frequent cases of bad handwriting on the part of Officers studying at the Staff College. His Royal Highness considers it absolutely essential that a Staff Officer should habitually write a hand that is easily legible, and he desires that superior officers will bear this in mind in their reports on candidates under para. 2 (*e*) 6 of Section IX, Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army, 1885, as amended by General Order 125 of 1886.

2. The following amendments will be made in Section IX, Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army, 1885, as amended by General Order 125 of 1886 :

In para. 6, line 3, for the words "Illegible handwriting," the words "Handwriting not easily legible" will be substituted.

The following will be inserted after para. 18 :

18*a*. A student at the Staff College will also be liable to removal at any time if he cannot write legibly, or if he be deficient in the power of expressing himself clearly and intelligibly on paper. It will be the duty of the professors to bring these defects to the notice of the Commandant, who will report all such cases for the information of the Commander-in-Chief.

The following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st March 1889, is republished for information :

*A. O.* 138.—*Staff College—Examination for Admission.*

At the Examinations for admission to the Staff College, the use of the "Manual of Military Law," and the "Queen's Regulations and Orders for the Army," will not be allowed for answering the paper in Military Law.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointment, subject to the approval of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief :

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. N. Evelegh to be Adjutant, in succession to Lieutenant S. Custance, whose tenure of the appointment has expired. Dated 1st March 1889.

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The undermentioned non-commissioned officers who have passed the entrance examination for the Upper Sobordinate class of the Thomason College, Roorkee, are directed to proceed to join that Institution by the 1st May 1889 :

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| 9. | W. Liddell ... | Corpl. ... | 1st Bn. Duke of Cornwall's L. Infy. |
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| 13. | J. H. Acheson ... | Sergt. ... | 4th Bn. Rifle Brigade. |
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| 15. | R. McCutcheon ... | Lce.-Corpl. ... | 2nd Bn. Oxfordshire L. Infy. |
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| 17. | R. J. Sheridan ... | Acg.-Br. ... | P-1 Royal Artillery. |
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**No. 218.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension, for the periods specified opposite his name :—

*21st Hussars.*—2nd Lieutenant F. H. Cripps-Day, from the 18th May to the 15th September 1889, on private affairs.

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence :—

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon A. H. Waddell, to the 14th May 1889, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C. No. 436 of 1888, private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General H. M. Bengough, C.B., Commanding Bangalore District, privilege leave for 30 days, from the 6th May 1889, or date of departure.

*Staff Corps.*—Colonel F. Middlecoat, Commandant, European Veterans, in India for five months on private affairs, from the 12th May 1889, or date of departure, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

*2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.*—Captain J. Mosse, to England, for one year, on private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—Captain G. H. H. Couchman, *D.S.O.*, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*So much of G.O.C. No. 182 of 1889, as grants Captain Couchman, one year's leave on private affairs, is hereby cancelled.*

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Lieutenant W. Hussey-Walsh, to England, for six months, on private affairs.

Lieutenant H. B. Powell, to England, for six months, on private affairs.

Lieutenant W. L. Stretton, to England, for six months, on private affairs.

Lieutenant H. Smyth, to England, for six months, on private affairs.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon Major J. P. McDermott, in India, for one month, on private affairs, with effect from the 1st April 1889, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,

Adjutant-General.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*24th May* 1889.

**No. 219.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 26th and 30th April 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 23rd instant.

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**No. 220.**—2nd Lieutenant H. M. Allen, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry, will proceed to Bangalore for the purpose of being examined for final admission to the Staff Corps, under para. 107, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, Part I. On duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (*h*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 221.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

"*Queen's Own*" *Sappers and Miners.*—Lieutenant C. H. Roe, Royal Engineers, company officer, to be a company commander, *vice* Captain A. C. MacDonnell, Royal Engineers, who vacated on appointment to the Garrison Instruction Staff in India. Dated 13th April 1889.

Lieutenant E. H. Bland, Royal Engineers, officiating company officer, to be a company officer, *vice* Lieutenant Roe, appointed a company commander.

*6th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant J. Thornhill, wing officer and Quarter Master, to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain Shaw who vacated on promotion. Dated 1st April 1889.

*24th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Major E. B. Anderson, wing commander, to be second in command, *vice* Colonel Vanderzee appointed Commandant, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.

**No. 222.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. L. Gallie, wing officer, 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

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**No. 223.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 1st May* 1889.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel C. D. A. Straker, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, who will be placed upon the unemployed full pay list on completion of five years' service as regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, on 6th May 1889, is permitted to proceed to England on or after that date ; travelling at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (*a*) and Part II, para. 513, clause (*d*).

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The undermentioned have been declared by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard examination in Persian, agreeably to the provisions of section 24, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II :

*1st April* 1889.

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Lieutenant W. S. Copland ... 2nd Bn. Leicestershire Regt.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 6th May* 1889.

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The following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st March 1889, is republished for information and guidance :

A. O. 123.—*Dress of Officers.*

"1. The following will be added to the end of para. 14, Section XII., Queen's Regulations and Orders, for the Army, 1885, as amended by General Order 152 of 1886 :

*n.* Brown dogskin gloves will, in time of peace, be worn by Officers only when in undress, when the troops are route marching, on flying columns, or field manœuvres, and when at camps of exercise. This will apply to General, Staff, and other Officers,

except Officers of Rifle Regiments, or of those services in which the men wear buff leather gloves or gauntlets.

† *Vide* G.O.C.C., 1888, page 247.

2. Army Orders 59 and 194 of 1888 are hereby cancelled.†"

2 This order applies also to British Officers serving with Native Infantry Regiments.

3. Brown gloves will not be worn with frock coats.

4. G. O. C. C., pages 247,‡ 248 and 386§ of 1888, and 44‖ of 1889 on this subject are hereby cancelled, with the exception of that portion on page 248 republishing A. O. 197.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments:

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*Corps of Guides.*—Captain H. F. V. Gaitskell, Wing Commander, 2nd Sikhs, to be 2nd-in-Command, Infantry, with effect from date of joining, *vice* Hammond, appointed Commandant, 3rd Sikhs.

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Notification has been received from the Horse Guards that Colonel C. S. Perry, Commanding 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment, will be placed on half pay, on completion of six years' service as a Lieutenant-Colonel, on the 1st May 1889: and he is accordingly permitted to proceed to England on or after that date; travelling at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part I, para 256 (*j*), and Part II, para. 513 (*r*).

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The undermentioned have been declared by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard in Hindustani, agreeably to Section 24, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II:

*On 1st April* 1889.

Lieut. H. B. Peacock ... 7th Hussars, Probr. Bengal Staff Corps.

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‡ G.O.C. No. 291 of 1888, pages 176 and 178.

§ G.O.C. No. 425 of 1888, page 276. ‖ G.O.C. No. 111 of 1889, page 57.

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 7th May* 1889.

Attention is called to paras. 1 and 2 of the following Army Order, dated 1st March 1889:

A. O. 134. Regulations for Mounted Infantry.

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The Commander-in-Chief desires that Officers Commanding regiments of Native Cavalry will include in one indent to the Remount Agents their total requirements in remounts for the season, and not submit supplementary indents towards the close of the purchasing period when it can possibly be avoided.

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**No. 224.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished:—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 10th May* 1889.

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212. At the request of the Government of Madras, Brigade-Surgeon B. T. Suffrein, Indian Medical Service, Madras, in Medical charge 2nd Madras Lancers, on being relieved by Surgeon E. P. Youngerman, Indian Medical Service, Madras, is ordered to proceed at once from Kamptee to Mandalay for duty.

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**No. 225.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—

*Staff Corps.*—Captain F. B. Deane, 2nd Madras Lancers, for one month, from the 9th May 1889, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. India. Medical certificate.

*2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—Captain E. W. Clark, to England, for one year, on private affairs.

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Lieutenant H. R. Cholmondeley, to England, for one year, on medical certificate.

*Army Pay Department.*—Honorary Captain L. O. White, Paymaster, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment, to England, for six months, on private affairs.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon D. R. Hamilton, M.B., to Australia, for six months, on private affairs.

Surgeon H. J. McLaughlin, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*So much of G.O.C. No. 195 of 1889, as refers to Surgeon McLaughlin, is cancelled.*

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon E. J. Lawson, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Addendum.*—To G.O.C. No. 198 of 1889, page 120, under the Heading "Godavari Rifle Volunteers," *add* "Private G. E. N. Tennent."

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
31*st May* 1889.

**No. 226.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 3rd and 7th May 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 30th instant.

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**No. 227.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster, Private, No. 1450, Suthianarrainah of the 9th Regiment Madras Infantry, attached to the 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, in G. O. C. No. 431 of 1887, is permanently transferred to the 14th Regiment Madras Infantry.

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(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 228.**—With reference to the recent Annual Inspection of Signallers belonging to British Corps and Batteries in this Presidency, the attention of Officers Commanding is directed to India Army Circular of 1888, clause 141, para. 26, the provisions of which, it is reported, have in many instances been neglected.

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**No. 229.**—The undermentioned soldier who has passed the entrance examination of the College of Engineering, Madras, is directed to proceed to join that Institution by the 1st August next:—

No. $\frac{\text{B. R.}}{2315}$, Lance Corporal James O'Connor Phelan, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

**No. 230.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*2nd Madras Lancers.*—Surgeon E. P. Youngerman, in officiating medical charge of the 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon B. T. Suffrein under orders to Upper Burma.

*22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel A. Bredin, wing commander, to be 2nd in command.

*33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel J. A. Richmond, Staff Corps, commandant, 9th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be commandant, *vice* Colonel Austin appointed Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry. To travel on duty at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

Lieutenant R. W. A. Denne, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 17th April 1889.

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**No. 231.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla,* 11*th May* 1889.

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The undermentioned passed the Lower Standard in Hindustani on the 1st April 1889 :

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Lieut. J. W. Ross ... South Lancashire Regt. (probr., Madras Staff Corps).

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla,* 14*th May* 1889.

The following instructions are published to assist Boards assembled for the examination of officers in subjects (*a*) and (*b*) for promotion to higher rank, to conduct these examinations in strict accordance with the Regulations and orders on the subject.

2. (*a*) Before they are eligible for examination, 2nd Lieutenants as well as Lieutenants must have been dismissed from all drills and have completed not less than one year's service. Queen's Regulations, IX, 52; G.O.C.C.,† page 112 of 1889.

† G.O.C. No. 181 of 1889.

(*b*) The examination of a 2nd Lieutenant for promotion to Lieutenant is exactly the same as that of a Lieutenant for promotion to Captain and includes the evolutions of a Battalion. He will not have to pass again in (*a*) and (*b*) for promotion to the rank of Captain.

(*c*) In the above examination the Board will therefore report as in the case of a Lieutenant, *viz.*:—

That he is a good drill, able to impart instruction and fully competent to command the body of troops he may be exercising, *viz*, a Battalion.

Should the Board not be able to report as above, the candidate cannot be considered as passed.

(*d*) The examination in (*b*) for Lieutenants and Captains must not only be practical but also by written questions on each of the four subjects, *viz.*:—

1. Drills.
2. Exercises ... ... According to arm of service.
3. Instructions — Musketry or otherwise, according to arm
4. Miscellaneous.

(*e*) The certificate required by Queen's Regulations, IX, 49, must in every case be attached to the papers of each candidate.

(*f*) Candidates must write their names on every sheet of paper of questions, and number their answers; further the subject-heading ("Discipline," "Duties," &c, "Drills," "Exercises." &c.,) thereof should be entered before each set of questions and answers.

3. When assembling a Board of Examination the special attention of the President should be called to this order.

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**No. 232.**—The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

*Malabar Volunteer Rifles*—Lieutenant H. M. Browne, in India, for 18 months.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
31*st May* 1889.

**No. 233.**—At a General Court Martial, held at Bellary on the 13th day of May 1889, Subadar-Major, No. 2856, Coopoosawmy, 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, was arraigned on the following charge :—

CHARGE.

Intoxication on duty

in that

at Bellary, on the 17th day of March 1889, he was intoxicated when on duty when attending evening Staff Parade.

FINDING.

The Court finds that the Prisoner, No. 2856, Subadar-Major Coopoosawmy, 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, is guilty of the charge.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentences the Prisoner, No. 2856, Subadar-Major Coopoosawmy, 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be placed four steps lower in the list of his rank.

Signed at Bellary this thirteenth (13th) day of May 1889.

GEO. LECKY, Lieut.-Colonel,
*20th Regiment Madras Infantry,*
*President.*

I confirm the finding and sentence of the Court.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, Lieut.-Genl.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

Ootacamund,
*May 20th*, 1889.

The name of Subadar-Major Coopoosawmy will be transposed in the list of Subadars and stand next below that of Subadar Abdool Rhamon.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*7th June* 1889.

**No. 234.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 10th and 14th May 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 5th instant.

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**No. 235.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Lieutenant O. K. Tancock, I Battery 3rd Brigade Royal Artillery, has been granted an extension of leave to the 5th August 1889, on the recommendation of a medical board.

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**No. 236.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that 2nd Lieutenant F. C. A. Parsons, No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade Lancashire Division, has been transferred to No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade North Irish Division, Royal Artillery, in the place of 2nd Lieutenant J. D. Sherer, transferred from the latter to the former battery.

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**No. 237.**—Lieutenant-Colonel H. Kingscote, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, is permitted to proceed to England in anticipation of his being placed on half-pay on the 8th July 1889, on completion of four years' service as Lieutenant-Colonel Commanding a Battalion, under the provisions of Article 77 of the Royal Warrant, dated 15th November 1887. To travel at the public expense, under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, (*c*) and Part II, para. 513 (*r*).

**No. 238.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

*Berhampore*, 21*st May* 1889.

Surgeon A. E. Grant, Indian Medical Service.

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**No. 239.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Elementary Standard in Burmese :—

*Rangoon*, 5*th November* 1888.

Store Sergeant G. H. Hartley, Ordnance Department.

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**No. 240.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant C. H. D. Lyon-Campbell, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment, to officiate as Station Staff Officer, 2nd Class, at Rangoon, no qualified officer being available for the Station Staff duties alone. Dated 12th November 1888.

Captain C. F. Stevens, 29th Regiment Madras Infantry, to act as Station Staff Officer, Thayetmyo, and to be in charge of pensioners, without prejudice to his other duties, no qualified officer being available for the Station Staff duties alone. Dated 19th December 1888.

Lieutenant H. W. Johnston, 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, to act as Station Staff Officer, Toungoo, and to be in charge of pensioners, without prejudice to his other duties, no qualified officer being available for the Station Staff duties alone. Dated 4th March 1889.

*24th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. W. C. Colquhoun, wing officer (sub. *pro tem.*), to be wing officer, *vice* Lieutenant Leonard appointed permanently to the Hyderabad Contingent.

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**No. 241.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.*—Lieutenant B. J. H. Humfrey, wing officer (on probation), 11th Regiment Madras Infantry, to officiate as squadron officer (on probation).

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon F. C. Pereira, doing duty Belgaum and Bangalore Districts and now at Madras, to do duty Madras District.

**No. 242.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished.—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 17th May* 1889.

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It is notified for general information that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to approve of Non-Commissioned Officers who, on the 1st January 1889, held the rank of Troop, Battery, or Company Sergeant Major, or Troop, Battery, or Company Quarter Master Sergeant, and Color Sergeant in the Infantry, being considered qualified to be promoted Regimental Sergeant Major without being in possession of a 1st class certificate of education, provided such promotion be made direct from one of the ranks enumerated above.

This cancels G. O. C. C.,† dated 5th January 1889, and G. O. C. C.,‡ dated 13th April 1889, page 151.

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Instances having occurred of regiments and batteries having passed through stations without the horses undergoing the veterinary inspections laid down in G. O. C. C.,§ dated 12th November 1888, page 490, the Commander-in-Chief directs the following addition to the G. O. C. C. referred to:

(*c*) On the arrival or departure of troops, Officers Commanding Stations will order Veterinary Surgeons to carry out the inspections as above laid down.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments:—

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*1st Battalion 5th Goorkhas.*—2nd Lieutenant the Hon'ble C. G. Bruce, Officiating Wing Officer on probation, 19th Madras Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity.

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† G.O.C. No. 44 of 1889, page 23.

‡ G.O.C. No. 193 of 1889, pages 116 and 117.

§ G.O.C. No. 522 of 1888, page 330.

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 21st May 1889.*

India Army Circulars, Clause 195 of 1887, para. 3, and Clause 173 of 1888.

With reference to the orders noted in the margin, Officers Commanding Native Cavalry Regiments, who have not already done so, are directed to communicate at once with the Ordnance Department, with a view to the disposal or return into store of all articles of pioneer equipment and stores which were issued to them, under India Army Circulars, Clause 165 of 1883, or any order antecedent to India Army Circulars, Clause 173 of 1888.

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant:—

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| 2nd Lieut. | E. H. Kinahan | ... ... | 21st Hussars. |
| ,, | C. J. Clerk | ... ... | ,, |
| ,, | W. N. Evans | ... ... | ,, |
| ,, | R. H. L. J. de Montmorency | ... | ,, |

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In G. O. C. C.,† dated 30th April 1889, page 177, permitting Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel C. D. A. Straker, Royal Artillery, to proceed to England on removal to the unemployed full pay list, *erase* from the word "date," fifth line, to the end.

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**No. 243.**—Leave of absence:—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, for the period specified opposite his name:—

*2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*—Lieutenant C. R. Heastey, from the 21st May to the 6th August 1889, on medical certificate.

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† G.O.C. No. 223 of 1889.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Captain C. R. Hunter, for six months, or to date of embarkation of the Battalion from India, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence.:—

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Lieutenant A. J. H. Luard, for one year, or to date of embarkation of the Battalion from India, on private affairs.

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Lieutenant M. W. De La Poer Beresford, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major H. W. A. Mackinnon, *D.S.O.*, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
14*th June* 1889.

**No. 244.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 17th and 21st May 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 12th instant.

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**No. 245.**—In continuation of G. O. C. No. 204 of 1889, introducing certain changes in the Musketry Instruction of the Native Army, it is notified for information, that Officers Commanding regiments of Madras Cavalry and Infantry, will be required to submit to the Adjutant General, Ootacamund, at the end of the Musketry season, a special report as to the result of these changes.

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**No. 246.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain V. E. Russell, Bedfordshire Regiment, is directed to proceed to England to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment, into which he has recently been promoted.

Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (*i*), and Part II, para. 513, clause (*c*).

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**No. 247.**—2nd Lieutenant W. E. A. C. Hervey, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, is directed to proceed to Poonamallee, for duty at the depôt in relief of 2nd Lieutenant E. G. Vaughan, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, who will rejoin his regiment.

These officers will travel on duty at the public expense.

**No. 248.**—The six months' leave to Australia, on private affairs granted to Captain H. L. Pilkington, 21st Hussars, in G.O.C. No. 577 of 1888, is extended by three months.

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**No. 249.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani :—

*Madras, 3rd June* 1889.

Lieutenant A. G. W. Moore, Staff Corps.

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**No. 250.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

"*Queen's Own*" *Sappers and Miners.*—Lieutenant L. P. Chapman, Royal Engineers, company officer and officiating company commander, to be a company commander, and Lieutenant H. G. C. Swayne, Royal Engineers, attached, to be a company officer, *vice* Lieutenant J. A. Dealy, Royal Engineers, struck off the Establishment of the Corps.

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**No. 251.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon F. W. H. D. Harris, doing duty Madras District, to do duty Station Hospital, Belgaum. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 252.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 25th May* 1889.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :

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1st *Sikh Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. C. Barratt, Wing Officer, to be Adjutant. Dated 17th October 1887.

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2nd *Battalion 5th Goorkhas.*—Lieutenant A. S. Rooke, Wing Officer to be Quarter Master. Dated 10th September 1888.

2nd Lieutenant F. W. Lethbridge, officiating Wing Officer on probation 6th Punjab Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity.

*Royal (Madras) Engineers.*—Subject to the approval of Her Majesty, Colonel Joseph Beatty is permitted to retire from the service on the pension and extra annuity to which he may be entitled, with effect from the 28th May 1889.

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**No. 253.**—Leave of absence:—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the periods specified opposite their names:—

*7th Hussars.*—Captain T. Hone, from the 16th May to the 16th November 1889, on private affairs.

Lieutenant R. M. Poore, from the 8th May to the 25th October 1889, on medical certificate.

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Captain J. R. K. Birch, from the 19th May to the 15th September 1889, on medical certificate.

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon, 1st Class, G. F. Davis, from the 18th May to the 1st September 1889, on medical certificate.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to Australia:—

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Major A. W. Hammans, for six months, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

*2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant J. D. W. Davy, to England, for one year, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*21st June* 1889.

**No. 254.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 24th and 28th May 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 19th instant.

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**No. 255.**—Lieutenant H. E. Pritchard, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry, will proceed to Bangalore for the purpose of being examined in the professional examination for the Staff Corps, under para. 107, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, Part I. On duty at the public expense, under para. 514 (*h*), Transport Regulations, Part II.

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**No. 256.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain C. W. Malet, Northumberland Fusiliers, is directed to proceed to England, to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment to which he has been posted on his recent absorption.

Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (*i*), and Part II, para. 513, clause (*b*).

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**No. 257.**—So much of G.O.C. No. 243 of 1889, as grants Lieutenant A. J. H. Luard, 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment, one year's leave on private affairs, is cancelled.

**No. 258.**—The nine months' leave to Europe on urgent private affairs granted to Lieutenant E. G. Elger, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, in G.O.C. No. 427 of 1888, is extended by two months.

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**No. 259.**—Mrs. E. Hibbert, who has passed a qualifying examination for the post of Army Schoolmistress, is appointed a Provisional 3rd Class Army Schoolmistress and posted for duty to the 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, from the date of her taking over charge from Army Schoolmistress Mrs. A. Lavender.

Army Schoolmistress Mrs. A. Lavender, attached to the 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, is, at her own request, placed on the Unemployed List from the date on which she delivers over charge to Army Schoolmistress Mrs. E. Hibbert.

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**No. 260.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*1st Madras Lancers.*—Surgeon-Major T. Hume, M.B., officiating medical officer, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment.

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**No. 261.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General G. J. Smart, Royal Artillery, Commanding Madras District, privilege leave for 30 days, from the 15th June 1889, or date of departure.

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. J. G. Lambe, to England, for one year, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*28th June* 1889.

**No. 262.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 31st May and 4th June 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 27th instant.

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**No. 263.**—The attention of General Officers Commanding Districts is directed to para. 1617, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, Part II.

General or privilege leave may only be granted to officers of a Battery of Royal Artillery when two effective officers remain for duty with it. When both the Major and Captain of a Battery are allowed to be absent at the same time, the circumstances of the case are at once to be reported for the information of the Commander-in-Chief.

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**No. 264.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that 1st Class Armourer Sergeant S. Duffield, attached to the 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, has been promoted to Staff Armourer Sergeant, with effect from the 22nd May 1889.

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**No. 265.**—Captain A. L. Hibbert, S Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery, is appointed Officiating Adjutant Artillery, Burma District, and is directed to proceed as early as possible from Bellary to Rangoon, to join his appointment.

Under foot-note to para. 514 (*k*), Transport Regulations, Part II, and para. 214 (*c*), Transport Regulations, Part I.

**No. 266.**—So much of G. O. C. No. 225 of 1889, as grants Honorary Captain L. O. White, Paymaster, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment, six months' leave to England, on private affairs, is cancelled.

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**No. 267.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment:—

*Personal Staff.*—Captain J. W. Malet, Northumberland Fusiliers, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp to Major-General C. J. East, C.B., Commanding Secunderabad District. Dated 23rd April 1889.

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**No. 268.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 31st May* 1889.

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Attention is invited to Army Order No. 199, dated 1st April 1889.

"Commutation of non-effective pay of officers of the Army." The above order refers to officers of the British Service only, who are not permitted to commute their pensions in India.

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G. O. C. C.,† dated 2nd April 1889, page 126, notified the pattern havresack by which all *future* issues will be guided.

The havresacks at present in possession of British Corps are not to be altered; nor, when new pattern ones are supplied, will any allowance be made for providing the case for the knife, &c., which is entirely optional.

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† G.O.C. No. 181 of 1889, page 109.

It having been brought to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief that candidates frequently present themselves for examination in the native languages without due preparation, His Excellency directs that Commanding Officers will, before permitting Non-Commissioned Officers and men under their command to appear before a Board of examination, fully satisfy themselves that they possess a sufficient knowledge of the language in which they wish to be examined to give them a reasonable prospect of passing in it.

2. For this purpose the Officer Commanding will avail himself of the services of an officer who should, if possible, have passed by the Higher Standard of the language in question.

3. Officers Commanding Stations before accepting the names of candidates for examination will ascertain that this order has been complied with.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

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*5th Punjab Infantry.*—Lieutenant R. C. Luard, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated the 3rd May 1889.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to sanction the following transfers on public grounds :—

*Army Pay Department.*—Paymaster and Honorary Captain F. C. J. Loder, from the 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment, to be Paymaster of the 2nd Battalion Manchester Regiment.

Paymaster and Captain H. A. Eyre, from the 2nd Battalion Manchester Regiment, to be Paymaster of the 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 6th June 1889.*

Attention is invited to the following Army Orders, dated War Office, 1st April 1889 :—

Corrections to Queen's Regulations, 1885 :

A. O. 173.—Duties in Garrison.
A. O. 174.—Staff College.
A. O. 176.—Recruiting.
A. O. 177.—Re-engagements.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

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It is notified for information that the examinations of non-commissioned officers and men for 2nd and 3rd class Certificates of Education are, as a rule, to be held only twice a year, at times coincident with the yearly and half-yearly inspections of the Schools, and under the personal supervision of an Inspector of Army Schools.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to direct that Inspectors of Army Schools will make regular half-yearly inspections of Army Schools, and submit their reports on Army Forms C 320 and C 314, as directed in paragraph 84, Army Regulations, India, Volume XIII, for the annual inspections, for the information of His Excellency and for transmission to the Horse Guards.

The necessary alterations will be made in Army Regulations, India, Volume XIII.

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Captain C. H. Smith, Paymaster, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, has been permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for War to withdraw from the Army Pay Department and to revert to his combatant commission in the

2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, with effect from the 1st May 1889.

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By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

G.O.C. No. 253 of 1888.
G.O.C. No. 571 of 1888.
G.O.C. No. 164 of 1889.

*Addenda.*—To so much of the orders cited in the margin as refer to Lieutenants A. P. D. C. Stuart and C. T. Swan, and 2nd Lieutenants F. Bruce and E. E. Beddek, *add* "To travel on duty at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 514, Transport Regulations, Part II."

To G.O.C. No. 212 of 1889, under the headings "1st and 2nd Class," *after* "Junior Instructor," *add* "Native Officer Instructor,"—"Jemadar Malingasawmy, 2nd Madras Infantry."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*28th June* 1889.

**No. 269.**—RETURN showing the Educational Condition and Progress of the Adults and Children in the British Army Schools of the Madras Presidency for the year 1888.

| Name of Regiment or Corps. | Station. | Name of Schoolmaster. | Name of Schoolmistress. | Strength on the 1st January 1889. | | | | | | | Certificates in possession. | | | | | Certificates obtained since last Annual Return. | | | | | Elder Children's School. | | | Infant School. | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Warrant Officers. | Staff Sergeants and Sergeants. | Corporals and Bombardiers. | Artificers. | Privates, including Musicians. | Trumpeters, Drummers and Buglers. | Total. | 1st Class. | 2nd Class. | 3rd Class. | 4th Class. | Total. | 1st Class. | 2nd Class. | 3rd Class. | 4th Class. | Total. | Number of Pupils on the Books at the date of Examination. | Number presented for Examination. | Number who passed in or above the Standard of their Age. | Number of Pupils on the Books at the date of Examination. | Number who passed in the First Standard. | Number remaining who have not reached the Standard of their Age. | |
| Her Majesty's 7th Hussars ... | Secunderabad ... | W. Mackinder ... | Miss F. H. Schollar | 2 | 39 | 32 | 8 | 547 | 8 | 636 | 4 | 140 | 126 | 179 | 449 | ... | 17 | 33 | 7 | 57 | 16 | 13 | 8 | 22 | 6 | ... | |
| „ „ 21st „ ... | Bangalore ... | G. J. Shaw ... | Mrs. C. Wills ... | 2 | 39 | 30 | 9 | 521 | 8 | 609 | 9 | 130 | 127 | 297 | 563 | ... | 19 | 20 | 24 | 63 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 15 | 2 | ... | |
| Royal Artillery ... ... | Secunderabad ... | J. Smyth ... | Miss A. K. Gibbs... | 1 | 36 | 51 | 9 | 509 | 7 | 613 | 5 | 129 | 129 | 211 | 474 | 1 | 8 | 15 | 13 | 37 | 22 | 22 | 11 | 32 | 6 | 4 | |
| „ „ ... ... | Bangalore ... | H. J. Seed ... | Mrs. H. J. Richards | ... | 24 | 41 | 14 | 362 | 8 | 449 | 4 | 109 | 74 | 159 | 346 | 3 | 9 | 9 | 4 | 25 | 23 | 23 | 15 | 29 | 3 | 1 | |
| „ „ ... ... | Saint Thomas' Mount. | A. C. Sherwood ... T. Simms ... | Mrs. E. Small ... | 2 | 17 | 24 | 12 | 262 | 4 | 321 | 1 | 49 | 71 | 119 | 240 | ... | 19 | 7 | 3 | 29 | 62 | 61 | 36 | 47 | 7 | 5 | |
| „ „ ... ... | Rangoon ... | Bombardier Lennon (Acting). | ...... | 1 | 9 | 5 | ... | 117 | 4 | 136 | 1 | 36 | 32 | 37 | 106 | ... | 5 | 7 | 7 | 19 | 10 | 10 | 2 | 2 | ... | ... | |
| 2nd Battalion The Royal Fusiliers. | Wellington ... | H. Wood ... | Mrs. A. F. Davies... | 1 | 42 | 39 | ... | 721 | 16 | 819 | 2 | 191 | 189 | 387 | 769 | ... | 27 | 19 | 2 | 48 | 9 | 9 | 5 | 21 | 4 | 2 | |
| 2nd Battalion The Somersetshire Light Infantry. | Belgaum ... | W. Wheeler ... | Mrs. L. Barringer... | 2 | 45 | 41 | ... | 985 | 15 | 1088 | 7 | 152 | 134 | 472 | 765 | ... | 44 | 40 | 21 | 105 | | | | | | | |
| Royal Artillery ... ... | | | | ... | 7 | 12 | 5 | 122 | 1 | 147 | ... | 37 | 22 | 57 | 116 | ... | 7 | 4 | 3 | 14 | 36 | 36 | 26 | 31 | 4 | ... | |
| Depôt, 1st Battalion The Rifle Brigade ... ... | | | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | ... | 2 | | | | | | | |
| 2nd Battalion The Bedfordshire Regiment. | Secunderabad ... | J. Cunningham ... | Mrs. C. A. Piper ... | 2 | 48 | 38 | ... | 937 | 15 | 1040 | 2 | 151 | 118 | 503 | 774 | ... | 10 | 13 | 8 | 31 | 25 | 25 | 10 | 39 | 4 | 2 | |
| 1st Battalion The Cheshire Regiment. | Rangoon ... | E. F. Mills ... | Mrs. M. J. McDermott. | 2 | 42 | 44 | ... | 837 | 15 | 940 | 3 | 206 | 153 | 306 | 668 | 2 | 22 | 33 | 61 | 118 | 22 | 22 | 11 | 29 | 6 | 3 | |
| Royal Artillery ... ... | Bellary ... | W. A. Smith ... | Miss C. A. King ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 20 | | | | | | | |
| 1st Battalion The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ... | 3 | 4 | ... | 7 | 26 | 23 | 7 | 25 | 2 | 3 | |
| Wing 1st Battalion The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | Madras ... | W. Collier ... | Mrs. E. Collier | 2 | 47 | 41 | ... | 924 | 14 | 1028 | 5 | 215 | 173 | 482 | 875 | ... | 9 | 10 | ... | 19 | 39 | 37 | 17 | 29 | 5 | 2 | |
| Royal Artillery ... ... | | | | ... | 6 | 11 | ... | 98 | 2 | 117 | 1 | 23 | 20 | 35 | 79 | ... | 5 | 5 | ... | 10 | | | | | | | |
| 2nd Battalion The South Wales Borderers. | Thayetmyo ... | J. B. Hughes ... | Miss M. Lindsay ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 15 | 16 | 1 | 33 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 12 | 2 | ... | Transferred to Bengal Presidency. |
| Wing 2nd Battalion The South Wales Borderers. | Tonghoo ... | T. H. Dimick ... | Mrs. E. Wilson (Acting). Mrs. M. Mullins | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 21 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 13 | 1 | ... | |
| 1st Battalion The Hampshire Regiment. | Shwebo ... | T. Ferris ... | Mrs. E. Macdonald | 2 | 47 | 37 | ... | 941 | 26 | 1053 | 5 | 186 | 163 | 447 | 801 | ... | 21 | 21 | 4 | 46 | 13 | 13 | 7 | 24 | 3 | 3 | |
| 2nd Battalion The Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | Bangalore ... | R. T. Seed ... | Mrs. A. Lavender... | 2 | 50 | 41 | ... | 984 | 16 | 1093 | 6 | 186 | 192 | 506 | 890 | 1 | 19 | 17 | 6 | 43 | 41 | 39 | 28 | 45 | 8 | 3 | |
| 2nd Battalion The Middlesex Regiment. | Kamptee ... | J. J. Cockell ... | Mrs. A. E. Hayes | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11 | 22 | ... | 33 | 10 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 1 | ... | Trasferred to Bomhay Presidecy. |
| Royal Artillery ... ... | | | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 5 | ... | 7 | | | | | | | |
| 2nd Battalion The Royal Munster Fusiliers. | Wellington ... | J. Houlihan ... | Miss R. Houlihan (Acting). | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Trasferred to Bengal Presidecy. |
| 4th Battalion The Rifle Brigade | Tonghoo ... | E. J. Bowen ... | ...... | 2 | 42 | 37 | ... | 780 | 23 | 884 | 5 | 164 | 148 | 389 | 706 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| 2nd Battalion The Norfolk Regiment. | Mandalay ... | G. Tomlinson ... | Mrs. Morrow ... | 2 | 44 | 40 | ... | 787 | 20 | 893 | 2 | 171 | 201 | 312 | 686 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| 7/1 Cinque Ports Division Royal Artillery. | Do. ... | ...... | ...... | ... | 8 | 11 | ... | 109 | 1 | 129 | ... | 15 | 14 | 37 | 66 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| Royal Engineers ... ... | Do. ... | ...... | ...... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| Hyderabad Volunteer Rifles ... | Secunderabad ... | ...... | ...... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| Depôt... | Poonamallee ... | J. W. Thomas ... | Mrs. M. Thomas ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 12 | 12 | 10 | 16 | 3 | ... | |
| European Artillery Veteran Co. | Pallaveram ... | H. Parr ... | Mrs. M. J. Parker | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 64 | 64 | 43 | 19 | 7 | 2 | |
| | | | TOTAL... | 25 | 592 | 575 | 57 | 10543 | 203 | 11995 | 62 | 2290 | 2086 | 4935 | 9373 | 12 | 289 | 316 | 173 | 790 | 449 | 436 | 252 | 466 | 74 | 30 | |

BANGALORE,
*20th June* 1889.

T. C. SHERWOOD, CAPTAIN,
*Superintendent of Army Schools.*

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant General.

# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*5th July* 1889.

**No. 270.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 7th and 11th June 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 4th instant.

**No. 271.**—The following alterations and additions to G.O.C. No. 175 of 1889, are published for information and guidance:—

Para. 8, page 103, *expunge* full stop at end, and *add*—"and should at once report their arrival to the Chief Instructor."

"8*a*. Officers and men attending the School of Musketry should reside at the School as far as the accommodation available will admit."

**No. 272.**—With reference to G.O.C. No. 379 of 1888, Commanding Officers will submit their applications through the General Officer Commanding the District, and not direct to the Controller of Military Accounts.

**No. 273.**—Lieutenant G. K. Swettenham, Royal Irish Fusiliers, who has been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is directed to proceed from Rangoon to Peshawar, to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment, pending orders from His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his final disposal.

**No. 274.**—Lieutenant H. A. Moore, South Wales Borderers, who has been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is directed to proceed from Port Blair to Ranikhet, to join the 2nd Battalion of his regiment, pending orders from His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his final disposal.

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**No. 275.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Burmese according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*Rangoon, 3rd and 4th June* 1889.

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|---|---|
| Captain A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Madras Staff Corps<br>Lance Sergeant W. Wade, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.<br>Private J. Lloyd, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment, *with great credit.*<br>,, Bishop 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment. | Elementary Standard. |
| Gunner C. Mollett, 4/1st Lancashire Division Royal Artillery.<br>Private G. Cruise, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regt.<br>,, J. W. Smyth, ,, ,, | Lower Standard. |

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**No. 276.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

*7th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Shaw, second in command, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel C. Hayter, C.B., who has vacated on appointment as Colonel on the Staff at Bhamo. Dated 14th April 1889.

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**No. 277.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. L. O. Reid, wing officer, 6th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

**No. 278.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 6th June* 1889.

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A revised edition of the "Manual of Instruction in Army Signalling" having been received by the Ordnance Department for issue in substitution of the 1887 edition, corps are authorized to requisition the arsenal on which dependent for the prescribed No. of copies.

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*Army Head Quarters, Simla, 15th June* 1889.

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The special attention of Commanding Officers is invited to para. 2010 of "Supplement" India Army Regulations, Volume V, as reconstructed by India Army Circular, clause 104 of 1885, directing that all Transport cattle on the rolls of corps are to be brought before the Annual Casting Committees. This procedure should be strictly adhered to and the assembly of special Casting Committees thus avoided.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 18th June* 1889.

It is notified for the information of Commanding Officers of Native Regiments that the Government of India have had the matter of the description of medals for meritorious service and for long service and good conduct under consideration: that the question has now been settled, and that the medals will issue in due course; but that pending their receipt references addressed to this office on the subject are useless.

With the sanction of the Government of India, the following movements in relief of British and Native troops for 1889-90, are directed to take place as herein ordered :—

Military Department No. 1105-C. "*Distribution of Army—Reliefs,*" dated 10th June 1889.

| Corps. | From | To | By route march, rail, &c. |
|---|---|---|---|
| * * | * | * | * |
| *Garrison Artillery.* | | | |
| * * | * | * | * |
| No. 8-1 Scottish Division Royal Artillery. | Delhi ... | Rangoon ... | Rail to Calcutta, thence by sea. |
| No. 4-1 Lancashire Division Royal Artillery. | Rangoon ... | Fort William | By sea to Calcutta. |
| * * | * | * | * |
| *British Infantry* | | | |
| * * | * | * | * |
| 1st Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers. | Meerut ... | Burmah ... | Rail to Calcutta, thence by sea to Rangoon. |
| * * | * | * | * |
| 1st Battalion Border Regiment. | Sialkot and Amritsar. | Burmah ... | Rail to Calcutta, thence by sea to Rangoon. |
| * * | * | * | * |

Routes and detailed instructions as to dates of movements, &c., will be issued hereafter.

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**No. 279.**—The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence :—

*District Staff.*—Lieutenant-Colonel S. E. Rolland, District Staff Officer, 1st Class, Rangoon District, Burma privilege leave for 90 days, from the 6th July 1889, or date of departure.

*Worcestershire Regiment.*—2nd Lieutenant H. P. Bell, Probationer, Staff Corps, officiating wing officer (on probation), 11th Regiment Madras Infantry, for ninety days, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. India. Medical certificate.

*Adjutant General's Department.*—Conductor T. Grant, for 60 days, on medical certificate, from the 5th July 1889, or date of departure, under Rule X, Furlough Rules of 1875, and on full pay and allowances, under Subsidiary Rule III, Appendix D, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*To be substituted for pages 170 and 171.*



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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*11th July* 1889.

Honorary Major W. M. Creighton, Army Pay Department.

**No. 280.**—The detail of officers as mentioned below will assemble at Secunderabad at such place and time as may be appointed by the General Officer Commanding Secunderabad District, for the purpose of trying by General Court Martial the prisoner named in the margin.

*President.*

Colonel J. E. Wetherall, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

*Members.*

Six Field Officers and four Captains to be detailed by the General Officer Commanding Secunderabad District.

*Waiting Members.*

One Field Officer and one Captain to be detailed by the General Officer Commanding Secunderabad District.

*Judge Advocate.*

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Swinton Skinner, Staff Corps, Officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General.

*Prosecutor.*

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Alexander, Royal Horse Artillery.

The prisoner will be warned and all witnesses duly required to attend.

The proceedings will be forwarded to the Deputy Judge Advocate General, Head Quarters, Ootacamund.

By Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*12th July* 1889.

**No. 281.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 14th and 18th June 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 9th instant.

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**No. 282.**—It is notified for information that the intention of para. 25 of the Regulations for the Indian Army Reserves is, that men of the reserves who being Natives of one Presidency are enlisted in Regiments of another, should be trained at the centre nearest to their homes *without reference to distinction of Presidencies.*

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**No. 283.**—It is notified for information and guidance that Officers Commanding Corps, should on no account retain any Ordnance Stores in possession that are not authorized by Regulations, unless they have special orders to do so, and in all doubtful cases they should apply for orders without delay.

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**No. 284.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards that Captain A. T. Baker, just promoted to that rank, from the Depôt, Northern Division, has been posted to No. 2 Battery 1st Brigade Eastern Division Royal Artillery, *vice* A. Tracey seconded.

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**No. 285.**—With reference to G. O. C. Nos. 507 and 568 of 1888, Captain Farrant is reposted as wing officer, 25th Madras Infantry, with effect from the 10th December 1888, and officiating second in command, without prejudice to his duties as wing officer, from the same date.

**No. 286.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

*1st July* 1889.

*Bangalore.*

2nd Lieutenant R. De L. Faunce, 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire, Light Infantry.
,, R. C. R. Owen, ,, ,,
Sergeant F. E. Prosser, ,, ,,
Lieutenant T. Fraser, Royal Engineers.
,, G. M. Hutton, ,,
2nd Lieutenant H. J. M. Marshall, Royal Engineers.
Corporal H. E. Costello, ,,
,, F. H. Palmer, ,,
2nd Lieutenant A. P. How, Royal West Kent Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.
,, W. L. Fair, Wiltshire Regiment, Probationer Staff Corps.

*Trichinopoly.*

2nd Lieutenant E. H. Boome, South Lancashire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Wellington.*

Lieutenant A. E. Lascelles, 1st Battalion, Norfolk Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant H. W. Heffernan, ,, ,,
Sergeant T. Pratt, ,, ,,
Private W. T. Joyner, ,, ,,
,, W. A. Roberts, ,, ,,

*Belgaum.*

2nd Lieutenant A. P. Shewell, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.
Driver T. Elliot, R/1st Royal Artillery.

*Bellary.*

Surgeon J. W. Cockerill, Medical Staff.
,, J. S. Green, M.B., ,,
Private W. Browning, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

*Bolarum.*

2nd Lieutenant D. R. Adye, Leicestershire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Kamptee.*

Surgeon M. L. Hearn, Medical Staff.

*Secunderabad.*

Lieutenant C. R. J. Griffith, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant A. M. Doveton, ,, ,,
,, E. W. Thompson, ,, ,,
,, C. R. Ballard, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.
,, E. A. R. Howell, 6th Dragoon Guards, Probationer, Staff Corps.
Captain J. L. Armitage, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.
Lieutenant J. G. Jones, ,, ,,
2nd Lieutenant C. A. Wilding, ,, ,,
Bandmaster C. McLaren, ,, ,,
Lieutenant A. H. Brabazon, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Probationer, Staff Corps.
2nd Lieutenant F. G. H. Sutton, Royal Irish Rifles, Probationer, Staff Corps.
Gunner J. Egan, Q/1st Royal Artillery.

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**No. 287.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Captain R. P. Macdonald, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, 1st Class, Bhamo, as a temporary arrangement. Dated 18th May 1889.

"*Queen's Own*" *Sappers and Miners.*—Lieutenant J. A. S. Tulloch, Royal Engineers, company officer, to be company commander, *vice* Major Badgley, who vacates on promotion to that rank. Dated the 7th May 1889.

Lieutenant F. F. Weedon, Royal Engineers, officiating company officer, to be a company officer, *vice* Lieutenant Tulloch, appointed company commander.

*4th Regiment Madras Infantry Pioneers.*—Lieutenant C. R. Keate, wing officer and officiating Adjutant, is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 14th January 1889.

*29th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. L. D. Fordyce, Royal Artillery, to be officiating wing officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 28th June 1889.

**No. 288.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished .—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 19th June* 1889.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :

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*5th Punjab Cavalry.*—Lieutenant H. A. F. Magrath, officiating Wing Officer, on probation, 21st Madras Infantry, to be officiating Squadron Officer, on probation.

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*5th Punjab Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. M. Allen, officiating Wing Officer, on probation, 22nd Madras Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity.

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The undermentiond officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenants :

2nd Lieutenant H. L. D. Fordyce, ...Royal Artillery.

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,, E. N. Obbard ...Leicester Regiment.

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,, F. W. Daniell ...Bedfordshire Regiment.
,, C. A. Wilding ...Royal Inniskilling Fus.

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**No. 289.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension for the period specified opposite their names :—

*7th Hussars.*—Captain G. F. Wingfield, from the 30th June to the 10th December 1889, on Medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon W. L. Lane, from the 29th June to the 28th September 1889, on medical certificate.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Honorary Lieutenant and Quarter Master F. Howard, to England, for 4 months, on urgent private affairs.

The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence :—

*District Staff.*—Colonel A. B. Morgan, C.B., District Staff Officer, 1st Class, Burma District, privilege leave for 60 days, from the 15th July 1889, or date of departure.

*Coorg and Mysore Rifles.*—Lieutenant W. B. Riddoch, to Europe, for six months, with effect from the 1st July 1889.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—2nd Grade Apothecary J. W. Prichard, for 182 days, from the 5th January 1889, under the Furlough Regulations of 1868. India. Medical certificate.

*So much of G. O. C. No. 195 of 1889, as refers to Apothecary Prichard, is hereby cancelled.*

By Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
19*th July* 1889.

**No. 290.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 21st and 25th June 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 18th instant.

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(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 291.**—The undermentioned having passed an examination at Rangoon in Army Signalling, according to the prescribed test, are qualified as regimental signallers :—

| Regtl. No. | Rank. | Name. | Battery or Corps. |
|---|---|---|---|
| ... | Lieutenant | L. A. Watson | 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment. |
| 34,762 | Gunner ... | W. Brown ... | 4/1st Lancashire Division Royal Artillery. |
| 64,926 | do. ... | J. Bushell ... | 7/1st Cinque Ports ,, ,, ,, |
| 39,118 | do. ... | A. G. Jones | 4/1st Lancashire ,, ,, ,, |
| 39,132 | do. ... | J. Rooney ... | 2/1st Eastern ,, ,, ,, |
| 1107 | Private ... | J. Peters ... | 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment. |
| 635 | do. ... | W. Mortimer | ,, ,, |
| Ches. 1178 | do. ... | T. Kelly ... | 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment. |
| Ches. 1713 | do. ... | E. Walton ... | ,, ,, |
| 440 | do. ... | F. Harvey ... | 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment. |
| 960 | do. ... | W. Barber ... | ,, ,, |

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 292.**—The undermentioned officers and non-commissioned officers having passed an examination in Army Signalling, according to the prescribed test, are qualified as Instructors and Assistant Instructors as stated opposite their names :—

| Battery or Corps | Regtl. No. | Rank and Name. | | Qualified as |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 21st Hussars ... ... | ... | 2nd Lieut. | C. J. Clerk ... | Instructor. |
| 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry ... ... | ... | Lieutenant | E. H. Swayne ... | Instructor. |
| 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade | .. | do. | C. E. Radclyffe ... | Instructor. |
| 4/1st Lancashire Division Royal Artillery ... ... | 33,363 | Bombardier | J. Lennon ... | Assistant Instructor. |
| 2/1st Eastern Division, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 45,184 | Ag. Bomdr. | W. Adcock ... | Assistant Instructor. |
| 7/1st London Division Royal Artillery ... ... ... | R. A. 60,288 | do. | R. Arnold ... | Assistant Instructor. |
| 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry ... ... | 82 | Sergeant .. | F. Abbott ... | Assistant Instructor. |
| 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers ... ... | 1,705 | Corporal ... | J. H. Smith ... | Assistant Instructor. |
| Do. | 1,178 | Lance-Corpl. | W. Kane ... | Assistant Instructor. |
| 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry ... | 1,645 | do. | C. Day ... | Assistant Instructor. |

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**No. 293.**—The undermentioned have passed the examination noted against their names :—

*Yercaud Rifle Volunteers.*

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| Captain R. B. Foote ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant A. J. Stephens... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |

*Coorg and Mysore Rifles.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Lieutenant F. Urquhart ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| " J. T. Morgan ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant H. A. Campbell ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Corporal H. G. Bonner ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| " H. E. Townsend ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| " W. B. Green ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |

**No. 294.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Personal Staff.*—Captain J. L. Armitage, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp to Major-General C. J. East, C.B., Commanding Secunderabad District. Dated 12th July 1889.

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant C. H. D. Lyon-Campbell, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment, who was appointed in G.O.C. No. 240 of 1889, to officiate as Station Staff Officer, 2nd Class, Rangoon, is confirmed in that appointment. Dated 28th June 1889.

*1st Madras Pioneers.*—Lieutenant F. G. Batten, wing officer, to be wing officer and Quarter Master. Dated 11th May 1889.

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**No. 295.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 26th June* 1889.

The following abstract statement of receipts and disbursements of the Queen's Military Widows' Fund, from the 1st January to the 31st December 1888, is published for general information.

The Committee of General Management desire to place upon record their appreciation of the manner in which the affairs of the Fund were administered by Colonel G. de C. Morton, late Assistant Adjutant General, during his tenure of office as Honorary Secretary.

**Cr.** *General Statement of Accounts of the Queen's Military Widows' Fund for the year 1888.* **Dr.**

| | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| By Cash balance on 31st December 1887 ... | 25,785 | 15 | 1 | To Awards to families of deceased Subscribers | 48,738 | 12 | 0 |
| „ Interest on Government Securities ... | 19,264 | 4 | 9 | „ Office Establishment and Postage ... | 1,804 | 10 | 6 |
| „ Government donation for 1888 ... | 6,400 | 0 | 0 | „ Bank charges ... ... ... | 256 | 1 | 3 |
| „ Amount received by Subscriptions ... | 22,525 | 5 | 7 | „ Printing charges ... ... ... | 275 | 6 | 3 |
| „ Interest on Floating Deposit ... | 65 | 6 | 0 | „ Refund to Vety. Surgn. Mills ... ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | „ Refund to Surgn. Major Gardner ... | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | „ Bank of Bengal (being amount erroneously credited in 1887) ... ... | 723 | 12 | 0 |
| | | | | Rs... | 51,850 | 10 | 0 |
| | | | | BALANCE... | 22,190 | 5 | 5 |
| TOTAL... | 74,040 | 15 | 5 | TOTAL... | 74,040 | 15 | 5 |

| *Balance on 31st December 1888.* | Rs. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|
| In Bank of Bengal ... ... ... | 17,290 | 14 | 4 |
| „ Alliance Bank ... ... ... | 3,212 | 4 | 0 |
| „ Honorary Secretary's hands (*remitted to Bank, on 3rd January 1889*) ... | 1,687 | 3 | 1 |
| TOTAL... | 22,190 | 5 | 5 |

K. D. MURRAY, COLONEL,
*Honorary Secretary, Q. M. W. Fund.*

## Subscriptions received between 1st January and 31st December 1888.

| Rank and Names. | Period. From | Period. To | Amount. Rs. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adams, G. G., Surgeon ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st March 1888 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Alexander, E .M., Major, Seaforth Highlanders ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Allan, A., Brigade Surgeon, M. D. ... ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Allen, R. F., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st October 1888 ... | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Anderson, A. D., Major, Royal Artillery ... | 1st September 1887 | 30th September 1887 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, A., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 52 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, F. J., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| Appleton, H., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th November 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Arnott, N., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st October 1888 ... | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Ashbury, A., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 .. | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Atkins, C. A., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Auckinleck, J. C., Colonel, Royal Horse Artillery ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st August 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Austin, E., Colonel, Madras Staff Corps ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Baddeley, W. L. C., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th November 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, P. F. M., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Barlow, J. A., Major, Manchester Regiment ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Barton, M. C., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| Bell, W. H., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Bennett, R. D., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Benson. F. W., Major, 17th Lancers ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Bevington, J., Riding Master, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |

| Rank and Names. | Period. From | Period. To | Amount. Rs. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Biggs, H. V., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 39 | 0 | 0 |
| Birch, F. H. J., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Blackett, E. U., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 37 | 0 | 0 |
| Boehmer, F. C., Lieutenant, Bedfordshire Regiment ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Bonham-Carter, H., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 45 | 0 | 0 |
| Borradaile, G. W., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Bourke, G. D., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Bowyer, W. G., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 30th June 1889 ... | 74 | 0 | 0 |
| Brackenbury, H. W., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Bradshaw, A. F., Deputy Surgeon General .. ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Broadbent, J. E., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Brodie, J. Fitz G., Surgeon, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 .. | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Brough, J. F., Major, Royal Horse Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Browne, C. A. R., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 39 | 0 | 0 |
| Browning, T., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st September 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Budgen, W. T., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Burgess, H. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st May 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Burnett, W. F., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Burridge, F. J., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Burton, G. S., Major, Norfolk Regiment ... ... | 1st May 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Butterworth, S., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st August 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Campbell, J. C., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 52 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, W. J. S., Surgeon-Major ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st March 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 32 | 0 | 0 |
| Carandini, F. J., Captain, 8th Hussars ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 27 | 0 | 0 |

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carew, R. H., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Carey, H. R., Le. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Carter, C. C., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, S. H., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J. T., Lieutenant, Leicestershire Regiment ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, F. C., Captain, Northumberland Fusiliers ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| Chapman, E. F., Major-General, C.B., A.D.C., Royal Artillery | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Chesney, G., Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble, C.B., C.S.I., C.I.E., R.E. | 1st August 1886 ... | 31st December 1888 | 116 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, H. F., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st August 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Churchill, C. F., Surgeon-Major, M.B.... ... ... | 1st September 1888 | 30th November 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Clapp, W. H. B., Surgeon-Major, M.D. ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Clarke, H., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Clayton, C., Veterinary Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 30th April 1889 ... | 72 | 4 | 0 |
| Coaker, W. H., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Cole, H. H., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... ... | 1st July 1885 ... | 30th September 1888 | 158 | 0 | 0 |
| ——, F. T., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Coles, W., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Colleton, Sir R. A. W., Captain, Royal Welsh Fusiliers ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Corse-Scott, E. H., Major, Royal Warwickshire Regiment ... | 1st October 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Cotton, W., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st September 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Cox, J. H., Veterinary Surgeon ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st June 1888 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Cree, E. R., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Croker, J., Major, Royal Munster Fusiliers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 35 | 0 | 0 |
| Crosthwaite, C., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Crowdy, J. H., Colonel, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st October 1888 ... | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Cuffe, C. Mc. D., Surgeon Major, C.B. ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Cunningham, C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J. D., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| D'Aguilar, F. B. G., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st October 1888 ... | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Davidson, J. R. B., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st February 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Davies, R. W., Surgeon-Major... | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, J., Deputy Surgeon-General | 1st January 1888 | 30th June 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Dickie, J. E., Captain, Royal Engineers | 1st January 1888 | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Digby, T., Captain, Royal Engineers... | 1st September 1887 | 31st October 1888 | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Dobie, W. H. E., Captain, Royal Artillery | 1st May 1888 | 30th June 1888 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Donegan, J. F., Surgeon | 1st May 1888 | 31st August 1888 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Donovan, H. L., Surgeon, M.D. | 1st January 1888 | 30th June 1888 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Dorman, J. C., Surgeon-Major, M.B. | 1st December 1887 | 28th February 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Douglas, J. D., Major, Royal Artillery | 1st November 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 32 | 0 | 0 |
| Dowden, T. F., Colonel, Royal Engineers | 1st January 1888 | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Drury, R., Surgeon-Major, M.D. | 1st September 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 64 | 0 | 0 |
| Dundas, H. L., Lieutenant-Colonel | 1st March 1888 | 30th June 1888 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Dunnage, A., Major, Royal Artillery... | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Dunsterville, K. S., Captain, Royal Artillery | 1st July 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 54 | 0 | 0 |
| Duperier, H. W., Captain, Royal Engineers | 1st September 1887 | 31st October 1888 | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Durant, R. J. A., Surgeon... | 1st July 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| East, C. J., Brigadier-General, C.B. | 1st January 1887 | 31st December 1887 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Eldridge, J. B., Sub-Inspector of Army Schools | 1st January 1888 | 30th September 1888 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Elles, W. K., Major-General, C.B., A.D.C. | 1st April 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| ——, E. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery | 1st January 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Elton, A. G. G., Captain, Connaught Rangers | 1st July 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Empson, C. A., Major, Royal Artillery | 1st July 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Ensor, J. H., Captain, 12th Lancers | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Evatt, G. J. H., Surgeon-Major, M.D. | 1st May 1887 | 30th April 1889 | 96 | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Faunce, C. E., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | st March 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Fayle, R. J., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st December 1887 .. | 30th September 1888 | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Fawcett, W. J., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Finnis, H., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st October 1888 ... | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Firth, R. H., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Fisher, V. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Flanagan, H. E. B., Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th November 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Fletcher, H. J., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Ford, H. I. E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th April 1889 ... | 73 | 0 | 0 |
| Fowle, T. F. T., Captain, Royal Artillery ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st April 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Gage, J. O., Major, Border Regiment ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Gallwey, P. FitzG., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Gambier, G. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Gardiner, R., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Gardner, R. H., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 29th February 1888 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Gaye, A. C., Brigade-Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st January 1887 ... | 30th September 1887 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Gibbs, G. R., Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Gibson, G. J., Surgeon-Major, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Giraud, C. H., Brigade-Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Glasgow, J. C. R., Major, Suffolk Regiment ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Glennie, E., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 11th February 1888 | 21 | 6 | 0 |
| Good, J., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Goodwyn, H. E., Captain, D.S.O., Royal Engineers ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Gordon, A. H., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st March 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Graham, T., Brigadier-General, C.B., Royal Artillery ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, T. F., Lieutenant, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1889 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Granville, F., Lieutenant, D.S.O., Royal Engineers ... | 1st June 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Greenstreet, W. L., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Greig, P. H., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Griffin, E. C., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hallowes, H. J., Colonel ... ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Hamilton, E. O. F., Captain, Royal West Surrey Regiment ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Hare, G., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Harris, F. W. H. D., Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st March 1889 ... | 34 | 0 | 0 |
| Hart, R. C. C., Colonel, V.C., Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Harvey, E., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th April 1889 ... | 72 | 4 | 0 |
| Hayden, F. A., Captain, West Riding Regiment ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Heathcote, A., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Hemming, E. H., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Hennessey, F. W., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Henson, C., Riding Master, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Hewitt, J. R. S. O., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Hildebrand, G., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Hilliard, W. R., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Hilton, J. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, Seaforth Highlanders ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Hinde, G. L., Deputy Surgeon-General, C.B. ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Hodgson, G. R., Major, Bombay Staff Corps ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Holmes, T. J. P., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... | 1st August 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Home, R., Colonel, C.I.E., Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoskyn, C. R., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th September 1887 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Howard, F., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoysted, T. N., Deputy Surgeon-General ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th November 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Hughes, J. H., Surgeon-Major, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st February 1888 ... | 31st January 1889 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Humfrey, F. T., Colonel, Bombay Staff Corps ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Inkson, J., Deputy Surgeon General, M.D. ... | 1st March 1888 ... | 31st May 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| | 7th June 1888 ... | 7th September 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Jackson, J. W., Surgeon-Major ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Jenkins, V., Major, West Riding Regiment ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Jerrard, F. B. J., Lieutenant-Colonel ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Johnson F., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Johnston, P. H., Surgeon-Major M.D .... ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Johnstone, F. F., Major, Bedfordshire Regiment ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| Joly, A. C. del, Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 ... | 30th April 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones, G. T., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Kay, A. G., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Keir, W., Surgeon-Major, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Keith, R., Surgeon-Major, M.D ... ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Kellie, J., Captain, Royal Engineers .. ... ... | 1st September 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 52 | 0 | 0 |
| Kelly, F. H., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 ... | 28th February 1888 | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Kemp, W. H., Veterinary Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th April 1888 ... | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| Kennedy, A. C., Lieutenant-Colonel ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Kenny, R. T., Sub-Inspector of Army Schools ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Kensington, C. H. M., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st June 1887 ... | 15th July 1888 ... | 54 | 0 | 0 |
| Ketchen, I., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st March 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Kidd, J. G., Sub-Inspector of Army Schools ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| King, R. A. C., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Kinsman, H. J., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Kirke, St. G. M., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Kitchener F. W., Captain, West Yorkshire Regiment ... | 1st June 1888 ... | 31st December 1888... | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Knox, M., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| Kunhardt, H. G., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Lake, E., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st August 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Lambert, P., Colonel, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, S. J., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |

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| Lane, W. L., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Lawrence, R. C. B., Major, 1st Dragoon Guards ... ... | 1st September 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 39 | 0 | 0 |
| Leach, J., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Lewer, A., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Lindsay, C. C., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Lloyd, R. O., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 16th January 1888 ... | 15th February 1888... | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, T. H., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Long, J. W. F., Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| Loudon, R. D., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 39 | 0 | 0 |
| Luard, C. H., Colonel, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th November 1888 | 48 | 0 | 9 |
| Luck, G., Brigadier-General, C.B. ... ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| McCrea, R. F. Captain Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| McCullagh, J. R., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st February 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| McPherson, R. N., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| McWatters, W., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st February 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 44 | 0 | 0 |
| McFarlan, D., Lieutenant-General, Royal Artillery ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Macpherson, W. G., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Madden, C. D., Surgeon-General ... ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Magrath, C. W. S., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Major, F. J., Lieutenant ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Mally, R. N., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st June 1888 ... | 31st October 1890 ... | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| Martelli, T. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 18th November 1887 | 30th June 1888 ... | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Maude, F. N., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 54 | 0 | 0 |
| Maxwell, A. B., Captain, Manchester Regiment ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 39 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, T. M. Major, Derbyshire Regiment ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mein, A. L., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st May 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Merewether, G. [illegible], Colonel, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Miley, J. A., Major, Bengal Staff Corps ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Minter, J. S., Captain, Royal Artillery ... | 1st April 1886 ... | 31st July 1886 ... | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st January 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Moberly, W. F. G., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| Moore-Lane, W., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Mortimer, F. J., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Morton, G. deC., Colonel ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st March 1889 ... | 54 | 0 | 0 |
| Muir, H. S., Brigade Surgeon, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Mullaly, H., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st July 1888 ... | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| Mulloy, W. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th November 1887 | 7 | 14 | 0 |
| Mulvany, P., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Murray, A. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Myles, E. H., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| Nairne, C. E., Brigadier-General, C.B., Royal Artillery ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 64 | 0 | 0 |
| Nelson, E. F., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| Nicholl, T., Major-General, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Nichols, F. P., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 .. | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Nicholson, W. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers ... | 1st September 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 52 | 0 | 0 |
| Nicolas, F. C., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Norton, C. E., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st February 1888 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Notter, J. L., Surgeon-Major, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 31st May 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Brien, C. R. M., Captain, East Lancashire Regiment ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 10th April 1888 ... | 19 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Connell, M. D., Surgeon-Major, M.D. ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Farrell, J. McD., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Sullivan, G. H. W., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Oliphant, G. A., Principal Veterinary Surgeon ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Owen, H. O. B., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Painter, A. C., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Patch, R., Major, Bengal Staff Corps ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Peel, F., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st January 1888 ... | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Peile, F. B., Major, Bombay Staff Corps ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 33 | 0 | 0 |

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| Pemberton, R. C. B., Colonel, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st March 1888 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, S. E., Lieutanant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 29th February 1888 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| Pengree, H. H., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th September 1887 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Peyton, J. L., Surgeon, M.B ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Porter, G. M., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 28th February 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Potts, J. W. H., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Powell, J., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st June 1888 ... | 31st August 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Preston, A. F., Brigade-Surgeon, M.B. ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Purvis, H. M. G., Major-General, Royal Artillery ... | 1st March 1888 ... | 31st January 1889 ... | 43 | 0 | 0 |
| Quarry, C., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th November 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Radford, A., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Rawson, C. C., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Rayment, G. J. R., Veterinary Surgeon ... | Entrance | donation ... | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st September 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| Rennie, S. J., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 28th February 1888 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Renny, S. M., Captain, Royal Artillery ... | Entrance | donation ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st December 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Reckitt, J. D. T., Surgeon... ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Reynolds, E. O., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st August 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Ringe, R. H., Veterinary-Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st March 1889 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Roberts, His Excellency Genl. Sir F. S., Bart., G.C.B., G.C.I.E., V.C. | 1st January 1886 ... | 31st December 1888 | 144 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, E. H., Deputy Surgeon-General ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st May 1888 ... | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Robertson, R. W. P., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Roche, U. deR. B., Captain the Hon'ble, S. W. Borderers ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Rochfort-Boyd, G. W. W., Captain, Manchester Regiment ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st January 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Rooney, J. P., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th November 1888 | 40 | 6 | 2 |

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| Rosseter, J. H., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 31st January 1889 ... | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Routh, W. R., Major, Suffolk Regiment ... ... | 1st July 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Rowan, T. E., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 45 | 0 | 0 |
| Rudd, T., Deputy Surgeon-General ... ... ... | 1st October 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Russell, A. F., Surgeon, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 29 | 0 | 0 |
| St. John, Sir O. B. C., Colonel K.C.S.I., R.E. ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, G. F. W., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| St. Quintin, T. A., Lieutenant-Colonel ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Sanderson, A., Surgeon Major ... ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Sanford, G. E. L. S., Colonel, C.B., Royal Engineers ... | 1st September 1887, | 31st October 1888 ... | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Saunders, M. W., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, W. M., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st July 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, W. E., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Sawyer, W. G., Major, Bombay Staff Corps ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Scott, C. H., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J. A., Brigade-Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Selfe, S. G. F., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Shea, H. J. F., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Shipman, W., Riding Master, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st May 1888 ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Shute, A. B., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Simpson, R., Riding Master, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Skinner, B. M., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 29 | 0 | 0 |
| Skipwith, G. T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers ... | 1st January 1887 ... | 31st December 1888 | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, E. A., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th November 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, H. S., Captain, Manchester Regiment ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, T. P., Major-General, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 64 | 0 | 0 |
| Smyth, O. S., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Sparkes, J. B., Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Spilsbury, E. C., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Spratt, F. T. N., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| Stanford, H. B., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st April 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 9 | 0 | 0 |

| Rank and Names. | Period. | | Amount. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | From | To | Rs. | A. | P. |
| Stannard, E., Riding Master, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Stanton, E. C., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 39 | 0 | 0 |
| Stevens, G. M., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 32 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J., Riding Master, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 .. | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Stevenson, W. F., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Stoddart, C. H., Major, Bengal Staff Corps ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Stone, G. J., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Stoney, G. O., Major, K. O. Scottish Borderers ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Stopford, A. B., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th September 1887 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Straker, C. D. A., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st March 1889 ... | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Stuart, R. C. O., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Suart, W. H., Major, Royal Artillery .. ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Swinhoe, C., Colonel, Bombay Staff Corps ... ... | 1st April 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Swinley, G., Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Tapsell, J. B., Sub-Inspector of Army Schools ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Temple, W., Brigade-Surgeon, V.C., M.B. ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st March 1889 ... | 69 | 0 | 0 |
| Thackeray, F. R., Captain, Royal Artillery ... | Entrance | donation ... | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st June 1888 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomson, W. A., Surgeon-General, M.B. ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, T. G., Major, Bengal Staff Corps ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Thurburn, J. W., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Tillard, J. A., Colonel, C.B., Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Todd, T. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, Wiltshire Regiment ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Tower, A., Lieutenant-Colonel ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Townsend, C. W., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery | Entrance | donation ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st August 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, E., Surgeon-Major, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st May 1888 ... | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Townshend, E., Lieutenant, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st March 1888 ... | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Tracey, A., Captain, Royal Artillery .. .. ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Trotter, W. J., Surgeon ... ... ... ... | 1st October 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Turnbull, G. W. M., Major, Royal Horse Artillery ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st December 1889 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Turner, S. C., Major, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 21st March 1888 ... | 26 | 10 | 9 |
| VanStraubenzee, J., Colonel, C.B., Royal Artillery ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Venour, W., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 49 | 0 | 0 |
| Wace, R., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Waddell, A. H., Veterinary-Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st February 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| Waghorn, H., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Wahab, R. A., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st November 1887 .. | 31st January 1889 ... | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker, T., Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... | Entrance | donation ... | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st August 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, E. S. F., Captain, Royal Artillery ... | Entrance | donation ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| | 1st April 1888 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Waller, J. D. H., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st July 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Ward, D., Colonel, Royal Engineers ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 12th April 1888 ... | 25 | 9 | 6 |
| ———, F. W., Colonel, Royal Horse Artillery ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, L. B., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st September 1888 | 28th February 1889 | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Watkins, L. G., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st March 1888 ... | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Welsh, F. H., Brigade-Surgeon ... ... ... | 1st May 1888 ... | 31st July 1888 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Western, C. M. T., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 27 | 0 | 0 |
| White, C., Surgeon-Major... ... ... ... | 1st July 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, T. H., Brigade-Surgeon, M.D. ... ... ... | 1st January 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J. H., Major-General, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Wickham, C. B., Major, Royal Horse Artillery ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st October 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Wighton, E., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 48 | 4 | 0 |
| Wilken, J., Riding Master, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st January 1888 ... | 8 | 0 | 0 |

| Rank and Names. | Period. From | Period. To | Amount. Rs. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Williams, G., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st July 1888 ... | 30th November 1888 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Williamson, J., Surgeon-Major ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilson, C. H. L. F., Captain, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st August 1887 ... | 30th April 1888 ... | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, G. F., Captain, Royal Engineers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1889 ... | 78 | 0 | 0 |
| ———, J., Surgeon-Major, M.B. ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 31st December 1887 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilmer, J. R., Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps ... | 1st November 1888 ... | 31st January 1889 ... | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Wingate, T. O., Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st March 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Wood, T. B., Lieutenant, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Wylly, H., Captain, Derbyshire Regiment ... ... | 1st December 1887 ... | 31st January 1888 ... | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Yates, H. T. S., Major, Royal Artillery ... ... | 1st September 1887 | 31st August 1888 ... | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| Yule, W. A., Major, Royal Scots Fusiliers ... ... | 1st November 1887 ... | 31st May 1888 ... | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st Dragoon Guards ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 228 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 48 | 0 | 0 |
| 3rd ,, ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 156 | 0 | 0 |
| 6th ,, ... ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 200 | 0 | 0 |
| 7th ,, ... ... ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 102 | 0 | 0 |
| 7th Hussars ... ... ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 78 | 0 | 0 |
| 8th ,, ... ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 167 | 0 | 0 |
| 17th Lancers ... ... ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 102 | 0 | 0 |
| 21st Hussars ... .. ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 126 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd Battalion, Royal West Surrey Regiment ... .. | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 84 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st ,, East Kent Regiment ... ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 134 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Royal Lancaster Regiment ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 114 | 0 | 9 |
| 2nd ,, Northumberland Fusiliers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 239 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Royal Warwickshire Regiment ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 153 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Liverpool Regiment ... ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 132 | 0 | 0 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2nd | ,, Norfolk Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 199 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Lincolnshire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 280 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Devonshire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 189 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, Suffolk Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 213 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Somersetshire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 156 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, West Yorkshire Regiment | 1st January 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 333 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, East Yorkshire Regiment | 1st July 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 69 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Bedfordshire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 118 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Leicestershire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 153 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Royal Irish Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 158 | 13 | 5 |
| 2nd | ,, Lancashire Fusiliers | 1st July 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 80 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Royal Scots Fusiliers | 1st October 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 207 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Cheshire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 213 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, Royal Welsh Fusiliers | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 258 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, South Wales Borderers | 1st October 1887 | 31st December 1888 | 137 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, King's Own Scottish Borderers | 1st January 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 141 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Scottish Rifles. | 1st January 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 288 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Gloucestershire Regiment | 1st July 1887 | 31st December 1887 | 80 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, Worcestershire Regiment | 1st January 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 165 | 3 | 1 |
| 1st | ,, East Lancashire Regiment | 1st August 1887 | 30th November 1888 | 222 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, East Surrey Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry | 1st April 1888 | 30th September 1888 | 201 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, West Riding Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 78 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, Border Regiment | 1st January 1888 | 30th September 1888 | 222 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Royal Sussex Regiment | 1st January 1888 | 30th September 1888 | 168 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, Hampshire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 223 | 10 | 8 |
| 2nd | ,, Hampshire Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 31st December 1887 | 39 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Oxfordshire Light Infantry | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 236 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Derbyshire Regiment | 1st January 1888 | 31st December 1888 | 213 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st | ,, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment | 1st July 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 201 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Yorkshire Light Infantry | 1st July 1887 | 30th June 1888 | 156 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd | ,, Middlesex Regiment | 1st October 1887 | 30th September 1888 | 52 | 0 | 0 |

| Rank and Names. | Period. | | Amount. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | From | To | Rs. | A. | P. |
| 4th Battalion King's Royal Rifle Corps ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 126 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Wiltshire Regiment ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 110 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Manchester Regiment ... ... | 1st January 1888 . | 31st December 1888 | 222 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, North Staffordshire Regiment ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 29th February 1888 | 193 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Durham Light Infantry ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 84 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Highland Light Infantry ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 246 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st ,, Royal Irish Fusiliers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 187 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st ,, Connaught Rangers ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 31st December 1888 | 129 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st ,, Rifle Brigade ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| 4th ,, Rifle Brigade ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 206 | 0 | 0 |
| 1st ,, Leinster Regiment ... ... | 1st January 1888 ... | 30th September 1888 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Royal Munster Fusiliers ... ... | 1st October 1887 ... | 30th September 1888 | 49 | 0 | 0 |
| 2nd ,, Royal Dublin Fusiliers ... ... | 1st July 1887 ... | 30th June 1888 ... | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| | | TOTAL ... | 22,525 | 5 | 7 |

SIMLA; K. D. MURRAY, *Colonel,*

*3rd June* 1889. *Honorary Secretary, Queen's Military Widows' Fund.*

## Awards to families of deceased Subscribers between 1st January and 31st December 1888.

| | Amount awarded | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | A. | P. |
| 1. Widow of Quarter Master F. Bradley, 1st Worcestershire Regiment, who died at Quetta on the 7th October 1887. (Balance of award) ... | 5,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 2. Widow of Captain J. H. Burke, 2nd West Yorkshire Regiment, who died at Rajanpore on the 27th October 1887. (Balance of award) ... | 2,900 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. Widow of Captain G. A. Frost, Royal Artillery, who died at Bellary on the 9th January 1888 ... | 2,788 | 12 | 0 |
| 4. Widow of Captain W. B. Broughton, Army Pay Department, who died at Meerut on the 30th January 1888 ... | 5,404 | 1 | 0 |
| 5. Widow of Surgeon-Major R. H. Gardner, Medical Staff, who died in England on the 19th March 1888. (Special award) ... | 3,564 | 0 | 0 |
| 6. Widow of Colonel D. Ward, Royal Engineers, who died at Naini Tal on the 12th April 1888 ... | 6,341 | 10 | 0 |
| 7. Widow of Major C. Middlemass, 2nd Leicestershire Regiment, who died at sea on the 10th April 1888 | 2,400 | 0 | 0 |
| 8. Widow of Captain P. J. Cunningham, Army Pay Department, who died at Myingyan on the 11th May 1888 ... | 3,904 | 0 | 0 |
| 9. Widow of Quarter Master W. Ames, 1st West Riding Regiment, who died in England on the 7th June 1888. (Special award) ... | 2,700 | 0 | 0 |
| 10. Widow of Surgeon R. W. Thiele, Medical Staff, who died at Murree on the 7th July 1888 ... | 3,512 | 5 | 6 |
| 11. Widow of Captain H. R. Saunders, 1st West Riding Regiment, who died at Murree on the 4th August 1888 ... | 2,906 | 6 | 0 |
| 12. Widow of Major C. C. Carter, Royal Engineers, who died at Bombay on the 18th August 1888 ... | 4,428 | 12 | 0 |

Awards to families of deceased Subscribers between 1st January and 31st December 1888.—*Contd.*

| | Amount awarded | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | A. | P. |
| 13. Widow of Major F. H. Thorndike, 2nd Royal Sussex Regiment, who died at Rawal Pindi on the 22nd November 1888 ... | 588 | 13 | 6 |
| 14. Children of the late Colonel T. C. Wray, 2nd Royal Irish Regiment, who died at Murree on the 22nd July 1888 ... | 2,300 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL Rs... | 48,738 | 12 | 0 |

SIMLA;
*3rd June 1889.*

K. D. MURRAY, *Colonel,*
*Honorary Secretary,*
*Queen's Military Widows' Fund.*

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*Army Head Quarters, Simla, 27th June* 1889.

With the sanction of Government, the following rules are published, under which transfers will be effected and volunteering permitted from Corps proceeding to England and Aden during the ensuing trooping season :

(1)

8th Hussars

1. All men who have extended their service under the provisions of India Army Circulars, clauses 85 and 108, of 1883, will remain in India to complete their extended term, but may, if not of "bad" character, volunteer for any one of the following regiments :

2nd Dragoon Guards.
3rd Dragoon Guards.
7th Dragoon Guards.
5th Lancers.
7th Hussars.
18th Hussars.
21st Hussars.

2. All others who have not entered the last year of their army service may be allowed to volunteer for further service in India with any of the regiments above named, subject only to the conditions laid down in the "General Rules." Volunteers for Dragoon Guards and Lancers must be of the height prescribed for Medium Cavalry.

3. The officer commanding will ascertain and *wire* to the Adjutant General's Office, Simla, as early as possible, the numbers of each rank, willing to join the relieving regiment (18th Hussars) on its arrival from England.

4. Staff Sergeants and Troop Sergeant Majors may volunteer in the rank of Sergeant.

(II)

2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.

(See case 6 of the Instructions issued with Circular Memorandum from the Adjutant General in India, No. 1902-C., dated 4th May 1882.)

1. All men who have extended their service under the provisions of India Army Circulars of 1883, clauses 85 and 108, will remain in India to complete their extended term, and may, if not of "bad" character, volunteer for any one of the following regiments:

| | |
|---|---|
| 2nd Royal West Surrey Regt. | 1st East Surrey Regiment. |
| 1st East Kent Regiment. | ,, Duke of Cornwall's L. I. |
| 2nd Royal Lancaster Regt. | 2nd Royal Sussex Regt. |
| ,, Northumberland Fusiliers. | 1st Hampshire Regiment. |
| ,, Royal Warwickshire Regt. | 2nd Oxfordshire L. I. |
| 1st Norfolk Regt. | 2nd Derbyshire Regiment. |
| 2nd Lincolnshire Regt. | 1st L. N. Lancashire Regt. |
| ,, Somersetshire Lt. Infy. | 2nd King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry). |
| ,, West Yorkshire Regt. | 2nd Middlesex Regiment. |
| ,, Royal Irish Regiment. | 2nd Wiltshire Regiment. |
| ,, Lancashire Fusiliers. | ,, Manchester Regiment. |
| ,, Royal Scots Fusiliers. | ,, Durham Light Infantry. |
| 1st Royal Welsh Fusiliers. | ,, Highland L. Infantry. |
| 2nd South Wales Borderers. | ,, Seaforth Highlanders. |
| ,, R. Inniskilling Fusiliers. | 1st Royal Irish Fusiliers |
| ,, Scottish Rifles. | 2nd Royal Munster Fusiliers. |
| ,, Gloucestershire Regt. | 1st Rifle Brigade. |
| 1st Worcestshire Regt. | 3rd Rifle Brigade. |
| ,, East Lancashire Regt. | |

2nd Royal Dublin Fusiliers.

2. Under instructions from the Horse Guards, one hundred men of the 2nd Norfolk Regiment and one hundred men of the 4th Rifle Brigade (to be selected from those desirous of remaining in India, and those who have served the shortest time abroad, and have the longest period of unexpired service) will be posted to the 1st Battalion of their corps now in India.

3. All others who have not entered the last year of their army service may, subject to the conditions laid down in the "General Rules," be allowed to volunteer for further service in India with any of the regiments above named.

4. Staff and Color Sergeants may volunteer in the rank of Sergeant.

(III)

1st Battalion West Riding Regiment.

(See case 6 of the Instructions issued with Circular Memorandum from Adjutant General in India, No. 1902-C, dated 4th May 1882.)

1 Further volunteering, in continuation of that authorised by G. O. C. C.,* dated 18th July 1888, page 270, to any of the regiments named in (II) will be permitted from this corps.

2. Staff and Color Sergeants may volunteer in the rank of Sergeant.

(IV)

2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment (proceeding to Aden).

1. All men who have extended their service under the rules quoted in the first part of (II) 1, will remain in India to complete their extended term, and may, if not of "bad" character" volunteer for any of the regiments named in the same paragraph.

2. All others who have not entered the last year of their army service may, subject to the conditions laid down in the "General Rules," be allowed to volunteer for further service in India with any of the regiments named, but to such extent only as will not reduce the strength of the Battalion below 515 men, exclusive of invalids and time-expired men. Preference will be given to married men.

3. Staff and Color Sergeants may volunteer in the rank of Sergeant.

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* G.O.C. No. 316 of 1888, page 196.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, Madras Army, and His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay Army, will be good enough to issue the necessary subsidiary orders for the volunteering and transfers of the corps in their commands.

GENERAL RULES.

I. Soldiers volunteering for further service in India must be medically fit for such service, and must not be of "bad" character. Men of "bad" character who have extended their service under Indian Regulations and are therefore compulsorily retained in India, should be sent to the other Battalion of their corps if in India; if not, special instructions as to their disposal should be asked for. Other men of bad character will, if not transferred to the other Battalion of their corps, go to England with their Battalion.

II. Volunteering into any one regiment is limited to the number (communicated by the Adjutant General in India) which will increase the strength of the regiment to 8 per cent. in excess of the prescribed strength.

III. Married men are not allowed to volunteer for regiments which have already their full proportion of married men, or nearly so.

IV. Lads enlisted under special authority are not to be allowed to volunteer until they have attained the age of 18 years, unless they may wish to volunteer in order to remain in India with relatives, and sufficient proof of relationship is forthcoming.

V. Non-commissioned officers transferred to other corps, whether compulsorily, or voluntarily, will, in all cases, take rank and precedence in their new regiments in their respective ranks according to the date of their promotion or appointment.

VI. Infantry soldiers must volunteer for the territorial regiment to which the battalion they select belongs, but they will be posted for duty to the battalion in India which they wish to join.

VII. Volunteers for Highland regiments (who must be natives of North Britain) will be allowed a gratuity of 12 rupees and 8 annas to cover the cost of their necessary Highland equipments.

VIII. Men on, or probationers for, the unattached list borne on the rolls of the corps returning home, who may be desirous of continuing in their staff situations, can volunteer only to

corps of the same arm serving in their own presidencies. But if holding higher rank than that of sergeant, they will only be allowed to elect for transfer to another corps on the condition that if they revert to their new corps for duty, they must consent, if required, to do so in the rank of sergeant. Commanding officers should lose no time in ascertaining from Departmental Officers the wishes of those men of their corps employed under them, and in reporting the result to the Adjutant General of the Presidency (in Bengal on Bengal Form No. 396.)*

IX. Volunteering will take place under the orders of the general officer commanding, at least one clear month before the regiment leaves its station; a medical board being convened for the examination of the volunteers.

X. Transfers and volunteers will be paid in their old corps up to the date preceding that of departure to join their new corps, and struck off the rolls of their corps from the day of departure inclusive. They will proceed under divisional arrangements to join their new regiments, but will in the meantime continue to do duty with their original corps.

XI. Nominal rolls of all volunteers will be forwarded, as soon as the volunteering is completed, by the officer commanding the regiment giving, to the officer commanding the regiment receiving volunteers.

XII. The transfer documents (Queen's Regulations, 1885, Section XIX, paragraph 148) will be prepared at once, and sent by post to the regiments to which the men have volunteered; a report of the date of their despatch being made by commanding officers to the general officer in local command. *Commanding Officers receiving the documents will be held responsible that they are in all respects satisfactory and complete.* The company defaulter sheets, and lists of clothing and necessaries in possession of the volunteers will be handed over to the officers appointed to command the parties proceeding to join the new regiments.

XIII. A report of the result of the volunteering will be made by the officers commanding corps giving volunteers on India Army Form 29 to the Adjutant General in India, Simla.†

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* In Madras on form supplied by the Adjutant General.

† Through Adjutant General, Ootacamund, in case of 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade and 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.

*Head Quarters, Simla, 28th June* 1889.

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So far as Native Cavalry Regiments are concerned, G.O.C.C.,† dated 24th August 1887, pages 450 to 453, and G.O.C.C.,‡ dated 1st November 1888, page 474, are hereby cancelled and the following will be the course of squadron training to be carried out by them:

I. In future each squadron is to be handed over for instruction to its commander for at least a month, at the commencement of the drill season or as soon after the hot weather as possible; and out of the four days per week on which regiments are ordered to parade during the cold weather, at least one is to be given up to squadron commanders and more if the commanding officer thinks fit.

II. Squadron commanders are to be held responsible for the whole work of their squadrons and for the drill of every man in it after the man has once been handed over as a drilled soldier by the adjutant.

III. No rules will now be issued as to what the squadrons are to be instructed in as their commanders must know well what is required of them and the points which require special attention.

IV. At the termination of each course the squadron will be examined by the commanding officer to test the practical nature of the instruction given and the knowledge gained.

V. Every available officer, non-commissioned officer and man will be present with his squadron and be relieved of all other duties while under instruction.

VI. Men in hospital and those unable to attend with their own squadron will be trained as casuals with another squadron.

VII. Each practice in field training will be carried on as far as possible under the conditions of actual warfare.

VIII. Explanation will in all cases precede practice on the ground and should form an important part of the instruction, but formal lectures are unnecessary as they are unsuited for native soldiers.

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† G.O.C. No. 457 of 1887.

‡ G.O.C. No. 509 of 1888.

*Head Quarters Simla, 29th June 1889.*

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It is notified for information that the Government of India have sanctioned the grant of compensation at monthly rates, for the use of the Indian serge frock, being credited to every soldier arriving in India before the 1st April, from the date on which his kersey frock was returned into store in England.

Military Department letters No. 1792-D., dated 6th May, and 2379-D., dated 8th June 1889.

In the case of men landing in India in a year of serge issue and being entitled to tunics on the 1st April following their arrival, they will be allowed the option of obtaining serge frocks, if necessary, in lieu of the tunics, with compensation for the difference in value between tunics and serge frocks.

The compensation will be allowed, with effect from the commencement of the trooping season, 1888-89.

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The attention of officers commanding regiments and corps of the Native Army is called to the provisions of the 162nd Indian Article of War, which enacts that as soon as two months of illegal absence have expired, a Court of Enquiry shall *forthwith* assemble. The word *forthwith* is to be taken to mean the earliest practicable date after expiry of the two months. If a longer period is allowed to elapse before assembling the Court, the record of the same is liable to be set aside as evidence at a trial for desertion.

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A new invention to permit of target practice being carried out in barrack rooms, &c., has recently been brought under the notice of the Commander-in-Chief, and has met with His Excellency's approval. It consists of a hollow rifled steel cartridge so contrived as to fire a small pellet by the explosion of a percussion cap. No subsidiary apparatus is required; the pellet does not touch the rifle barrel in its passage, and every soldier is thus enabled to practise with his own weapon.

This invention is designated "Dreyse's steel cartridges" for barrack room practice, and the sole Agent for India is Mr. R. Hotz, Simla, from whom cartridges, caps, and pellets can be obtained.

Attention is invited to the following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st May 1889:

Corrections to Queen's Regulations, 1885—

A. O. 229.—Disposal of Military Prisoners.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

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Referring to G. O. C. C.† dated 6th May 1889, page 179, re-publishing Army Order 123, notification has now been received from the Horse Guards, that brown gloves can only be worn in undress when off parade, but may be worn in any dress, except full dress, when on parade, if the troops are employed as mentioned in the order quoted above,

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments.

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*11th Bengal Infantry*,.—2nd Lieutenant E. N. Obbard, Leicestershire regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated the 10th June 1889.

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The undermentioned officers, specially examined, passed the Lower Standard in Persian on the 6th June 1889:

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Lieut. A. S. Rooke, Madras Staff Corps.

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**No. 296.**—Leave of absence:—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, for the period specified opposite their names:—

*1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain B. de M. Leathes, in extension, from the 22nd June to the 13th August 1889, on medical certificate.

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain F. J. D. Lugard, *D.S.O.*, from the 5th June to the 1st October 1889, on private affairs.

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† G.O.C. No. 223 of 1889, pages 140 and 141.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*Royal Artillery.*—Major N. J. Nugent, R Battery 1st Brigade, to England, for six months from 31st May 1889 on urgent private affairs.

The three months' accumulated privilege leave granted to Major Nugent, from the above date, by the General Officer commanding Belgaum District, is hereby cancelled.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*7th Hussars.*—Lieutenant H. R. Beddoes, to England, for six months on urgent private affairs.

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Major C. H. St. Paul, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*26th July* 1889.

**No. 297.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 28th June and 2nd July 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 25th instant.

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**No. 298.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain F. M. Peacock, Somersetshire Light Infantry, is directed to proceed to England, to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment into which he has recently been promoted.

Under Transport Regulations, Part I, para. 256, clause (*i*), and Part II, para. 513, clause (*c*).

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**No. 299.**—The undermentioned have passed the examinations noted against their names:—

*Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.*

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| Captain G. L. Yonge ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| ,, A. W. Brodie ... ... | |

*Madras Railway Volunteers.*

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| Captain R. Sewell ... ... | Para. 98, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Lieutenant J. M. Ewing... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Quarter-Master Sergeant J. Barefoot | Para. 117, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Color-Sergeant J. Wrightman ...<br>Sergeant C. Theobald ... ...<br>Lance-Sergeant R. Tanner ...<br>Corporal J. Fairlie ... ...<br>" S. Woods ... ...<br>Lance-Corporal E. Simons ...<br>Private J. Rozier ... ...<br>" C. Laffrey ... ...<br>" G. Burns ... ...<br>" T. Mills ... ...<br>" A. Paul ... ...<br>" A. Dunlop ... ...<br>" H. A. Lupprian ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |

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**No. 300.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*1st Madras Lancers.*—Captain A. P. Westlake, *D.S.O.*, squadron officer, to be squadron commander, to fill an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant O. G. Ievers, officiating squadron officer, to be squadron officer, *vice* Captain Westlake promoted.

*2nd Madras Lancers.*—Captain H. Eardley-Wilmot, squadron officer, to be squadron commander, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Forbes, seconded for employment on the Staff.

Lieutenant A. A. Jones, officiating squadron officer, to be squadron officer, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Eardley-Wilmot, but to remain attached to the 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry, until further orders.

*4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry.*—Captain C. Stevens, squadron officer, to be squadron commander, to fill an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant M. A. Tighe, officiating squadron officer, to be squadron officer, *vice* Captain Stevens promoted, and to be graded next above Lieutenant Brett.

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain J. H. Jones, wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, to be second in command, *vice* Colonel C. J. Watson retired.

Captain T. H. Haughton, wing officer, to be wing commander, to fill an existing vacancy, but to be seconded for employment as wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, 19th Regiment Madras Infantry.

Lieutenant A. H. Brabazon, wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, (on probation) to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Captain Jones promoted,

Lieutenant L. I. Wood, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Captain Haughton promoted.

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. H. Baber, wing commander, to be second in command, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson promoted.

Captain R. K. Teversham, wing officer, to be wing commander, *vice* Colonel Baber.

Lieutenant E. W. Harris, wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, (on probation), to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Captain Teversham promoted, but to remain attached to 5th Regiment Madras Infantry until further orders.

*5th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain E. E. MacMahon, wing officer, to be wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Poynder, seconded for employment on the Staff.

*6th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain G. J. Shaw, wing officer, to be wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Major Greenaway appointed second in command, sub. *pro tem.*

*7th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Major C. W. Walker, wing commander, 19th Madras Infantry, to be second in command, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Shaw promoted, but to be seconded for employment as second in command, sub. *pro tem.*, 19th Regiment Madras Infantry.

*9th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. W. A. Firth, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer, sub. *pro tem.* (on probation), *vice* Lieutenant Burn, seconded for employment with the Burma Police.

*11th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain H. F. Farrant, wing officer, 25th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be wing commander to fill an existing vacancy.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain J. F. Wilson, wing officer, to be wing commander, *vice* Major Howlett, promoted.

Lieutenant B. W. Marlow, wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, to be wing officer, *vice* Captain Wilson, promoted, but to remain seconded for employment in the Commissariat Transport Department.

*19th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Major C. W. Walker, second in command, 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be second in command, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Colonel Smalley, seconded for employment on the Staff.

Captain T. H. Haughton, wing commander, 2nd Regiment Madras Infantry, to be wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, in an existing vacancy.

*22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain L. J. Torrie, wing officer, to be wing commander, to fill an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant H. E. Pritchard, wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, to be wing officer, *vice* Captain Torrie promoted.

*31st Regiment Light Infantry.*—Captain H. A. B. Boulderson, wing officer, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry, and wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, to be second in command, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Colonel Hutchins, seconded for employment on the Staff.

**No. 301.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon M. Kelly, M.D., doing duty Station Hospital, Bangalore, to do duty Madras District. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 302.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Army Head Quarters, Simla, 4th July* 1889.

The undermentioned officers will attend the next course of garrison instruction at the centres noted, and will report themselves on the 31st July 1889 :

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*Ranikhet.*

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Lieut. F. G. Bradley .. ... Madras Staff Corps.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 4th July* 1889.

Intimation having been received from the Horse Guards that considerable inconvenience and delay have arisen in issuing the annual army order relating to the state of education in the Army, owing to Army Form B 139, "Annual Return of Certificates of Education," not having been sent to the Director General of Military Education on the 1st January, the attention of officers commanding corps is invited to para. 22, section XXI, Queen's Regulations, 1885, which directs that the return is to be forwarded on the 1st of January in each year.

A duplicate of the return should be forwarded at the same time to the Director of Military Education in India.†

† Superintendent of Army Schools, Bangalore, by corps serving in the Madras Presidency.

The results of the Annual inspection in signalling of British Corps in India for the year 1888-1889 are published in the annexed return.

2. The efficiency return shows that 9 regiments of Cavalry, 30 batteries of Artillery, and 50 battalions of Infantry have been inspected, nearly all of which were classified.

3. The 2nd Battalion, Oxfordshire Light Infantry, obtained the highest figure of merit; the 7th Dragoon Guards head the list of Cavalry, and the best battery, Royal Artillery, is No. 2 Battery, 1st Brigade, Welsh Division.

4. On the whole, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief does not consider the results specially satisfactory, but is inclined to attribute the low standard attained in a great measure to the fact that the present signalling rules were only recently introduced, and that but little time intervened before the inspections took place.

5. In consideration of these facts, the following low figures of merit have been fixed as entitling regiments and batteries to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd regimental prizes :—

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| Regiments | ... | ... | 300 |
| Batteries | ... | ... | 290 |

Next year a higher standard will be demanded.

The general prize of Rs. 10 has been awarded to signallers, within the recognised establishment, who proved themselves efficient at the inspections, irrespectively of the figure of merit of their regiments. The sums due to signallers are shewn in the efficiency return.

6. Sir Frederick Roberts trusts, now that prizes are given for efficiency in signalling, real interest in the subject will be taken by all, and that better results may be hoped for next year, especially in the Royal Artillery.

Return shewing the relative efficiency in signalling of the British Corps in India inspected in the year 1888-89.

| Presidency. | Order. | Corps. | No. of signallers. | No. of Supernumeraries. | Small Flag. Maximum sending. | Small Flag. Minimum sending. | Small Flag. Average rate of sending. | Small Flag. Through transmitting station. | Percentage of letters read correctly. | Heliograph. Rate of sending. | Heliograph. Percentage of letters read correctly. | Small Flag. Rate of sending. | Small Flag. Percentage of letters read correctly. | Lamp. Rate of sending. | Lamp. Percentage of letters read correctly. | Figure of Merit. | Accuracy. Flag. | Accuracy. Heliograph. | Prizes to which entitled. Number of signallers. | Prizes to which entitled. Amount each signaller. |
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| | | CAVALRY. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. |
| Bengal ... | 1 | 7th Dragoon Guards ... | 12 | 8 | 12·76 | 10·16 | 11·42 | 12·37 | 91·56 | 11·53 | 98·33 | 11·88 | 96·15 | ... | ... | 333·24 | A. | V.A. | 12 | 25 |
| Ditto ... | 2 | 2nd Ditto ... | 12 | 8 | 11·76 | 9·83 | 10·61 | 10·52 | 92·30 | 12·76 | 89·74 | 11·42 | 97·43 | ... | ... | 324·78 | V.A. | V. I. | 12 | 20 |
| Ditto ... | 3 | 17th Lancers ... | 12 | ... | 10·90 | 8·27 | 9·60 | 10·52 | 96·15 | 9·75 | 88·46 | 11·32 | 97·43 | ... | ... | 323·23 | V.A. | V. I. | 12 | 15 |
| Ditto ... | 4 | 1st King's Dragoon Guards. | 12 | 4 | 11·32 | 8·05 | 9·37 | 8·95 | 92·30 | 12·37 | 88·46 | 12·50 | 93·58 | ... | ... | 317·53 | F.A. | V. I. | 12 | 10 |
| Madras ... | 5 | 7th Hussars ... | 12 | 10 | 12·76 | 10·08 | 11·21 | 10·16 | 92·42 | 11·11 | 83·01 | 12·24 | 87·82 | ... | ... | 307·97 | V. I. | V. I. | 8 | 10 |
| Bombay ... | 6 | 5th Lancers ... | 12 | 8 | 13·79 | 10·16 | 11·88 | 11·76 | 86·01 | 12·76 | 74·28 | 14·11 | 86·75 | ... | ... | 297·55 | V. I. | V. I. | 7 | 10 |
| Madras ... | 7 | 21st Hussars ... | 12 | 8 | 13·18 | 11·00 | 11·88 | 12·90 | 86·86 | 10·90 | 62·82 | 11·11 | 91·67 | ... | ... | 288·14 | I. | V. I. | 1 | 10 |

| Presidency. | Order. | Corps. | No. of signallers. | No. of Supernumeraries. | Small Flag. Maximum sending. | Small Flag. Minimum sending. | Small Flag. Average rate of sending. | Small Flag. Through transmitting station. | Percentage of letters read correctly. | Heliograph. Rate of sending. | Heliograph. Percentage of letters read correctly. | Small Flag. Rate of sending. | Small Flag. Percentage of letters read correctly. | Lamp. Rate of sending. | Lamp. Percentage of letters read correctly. | Figure of Merit. | Accuracy. Flag. | Accuracy. Heliograph. | Prizes to which entitled. Number of signallers. | Prizes to which entitled. Amount each signaller. |
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| | | CAVALRY—*contd.* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. |
| Bengal ... | 8 | 8th Hussars ... | 12 | 8 | 10·00 | 6·74 | 7·89 | 8·27 | 79·48 | 8·82 | 79·48 | 8·57 | 89·74 | ... | ... | 282·25 | V. I. | V. I. | 4 | 10 |
| Ditto ... | 9 | 3rd Dragoon Guards ... | 12 | ... | 10·71 | 7·27 | 8·27 | 10·90 | 74·35 | 10·61 | 78·20 | 10·00 | 89·74 | ... | ... | 282·07 | V. I. | V. I. | 4 | 10 |
| | | ROYAL ARTILLERY. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bengal ... | 1 | 2-1 Bde. Wh. Dn. ... | 4 | ... | 10·00 | 8·63 | 9·30 | ... | 97·43 | 9·60 | 93·58 | 10·25 | 98·71 | ... | ... | 318·87 | V.A. | F.A. | 4 | 25 |
| Bombay ... | 2 | 4-1 Bde. S. I. Dn. ... | 4 | 2 | 10·90 | 9·37 | 10·25 | 8·69 | 87·17 | 8·95 | 86·86 | 11·00 | 92·30 | ... | ... | 305·22 | I. | V. I. | 4 | 25 |
| Bengal ... | 3 | 1-1 Bde. Wh. Dn. ... | 4 | ... | 10·52 | 9·83 | 10·08 | ... | 89·74 | 9·67 | 84·61 | 10·25 | 96·79 | ... | ... | 301·14 | A. | V. I. | 4 | 20 |
| Ditto ... | 4 | 8-1 Bde. Sc. Dn. ... | 4 | ... | 12·00 | 8·95 | 10·00 | ... | 82·05 | 9·83 | 90·38 | 10·81 | 88·46 | ... | ... | 291·53 | V. I. | I. | 4 | 20 |
| Madras ... | 5 | 2-1 Bde. East Dn. ... | 4 | 1 | 10·90 | 9·30 | 9·83 | 7·36 | 83·01 | 9·67 | 62·50 | 11·00 | 92·94 | ... | ... | 276·31 | I. | V. I. | ... | ... |
| Ditto ... | 6 | 7-1 Bde. Lon. Dn. ... | 3 | ... | 10·71 | 10·00 | 10·43 | ... | 87·17 | 10·90 | 62·40 | 10·61 | 91·88 | ... | ... | 273·39 | I. | V. I. | ... | ... |
| Bombay ... | 7 | 6-1 Bde. South Dn. ... | 4 | 1 | 9·67 | 6·21 | 7·36 | 7·05 | 84·29 | 9·02 | 62·82 | 8·39 | 93·27 | ... | ... | 272·20 | F.A. | V. I. | ... | ... |
| Ditto ... | 8 | 4-1 Bde. N. I. Dn. ... | 4 | 3 | 9·44 | 8·63 | 9·16 | 5·76 | 82·48 | 10·90 | 60·57 | 11·21 | 80·12 | ... | ... | 260·20 | V. I. | V. I. | ... | ... |
| Ditto ... | 9 | 5-1 Bde. South Dn. ... | 2 | ... | 8·39 | 7·27 | 7·79 | ... | 69·23 | 10·61 | 63·46 | 8·10 | 80·00 | ... | ... | 239·19 | V. I. | V. I. | ... | ... |
| Ditto ... | 10 | 1-1 Bde. West Dn. ... | 3 | ... | 7.22 | 6·00 | 6·52 | ... | 58·13 | 13·95 | 47·43 | 8·88 | 56·40 | .. | ... | 191·31 | V. I. | V. I. | ... | ... |
| Ditto ... | 11 | 7-1 Bde. South Dn. ... | 4 | ... | 7·50 | 5·94 | 6·59 | ... | 67·62 | 10·81 | 19·09 | 9·16 | 7·70 | ... | ... | 120·97 | V. I. | V. I. | ... | ... |

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| Madras ... | 12 | 4-1 Bde. Lanc. Dn. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Not classified owing either to there being an insufficient number of signallers or from want of training. | |
| Ditto ... | 13 | 7-1 Bde. C. P. Dn. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Bengal ... | ... | 1-1 N. Dn. R. A. ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 7-1 N Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 8-1 N Ditto ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
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| Ditto ... | ... | 4-1 E Ditto ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 7-1 E Ditto ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 8-1 E Ditto ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 2-1 C P Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 9-1 C P Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 3-1 S I Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 5-1 Wn. Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 1-1 Sc. Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 2-1 Sc. Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 3-1 Sc. Ditto ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 5-1 Wh. Ditto ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 2-1 Lo. Ditto ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 9-1 E Ditto ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| Ditto ... | ... | 9-1 N Ditto ... | ... | ... | ... | On Field Service, Sikkim. | | | | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| | | INFANTRY. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rs. |
| Madras ... | 1 | 2nd Bn. Oxford Light Infantry. | 6 | 29 | 15·78 | 14·63 | 15·38 | 12·76 | 96·58 | 10·08 | 96·15 | 13·33 | 98·71 | ... | ... | 342·99 | V.A. | A. | 6 | 25 |
| Bombay ... | 2 | 1st Bn. Loyal North Lancashire Regt. | 6 | 5 | 14·28 | 12·00 | 13·18 | 11·53 | 95·30 | 13·79 | 97·65 | 15·58 | 95·30 | ... | ... | 342·33 | A. | V.A. | 6 | 25 |
| Bengal ... | 3 | 2nd Bn. Yorkshire Light Infantry. | 6 | 9 | 15·58 | 13·04 | 14·45 | 12·90 | 91·02 | 14·81 | 96·37 | 13·79 | 93·38 | ... | ... | 336·72 | A. | F.A. | 6 | 25 |
| Ditto ... | 4 | 2nd Bn. Highland Light Infantry. | 6 | 16 | 11·53 | 10·16 | 10·90 | 10·00 | 96·79 | 12·63 | 95·08 | 11·00 | 98·93 | ... | ... | 335·33 | V.A. | A. | 6 | 25 |
| Ditto ... | 5 | 4th Bn. King's Royal Rifle Corps. | 6 | 11 | 11·11 | 10·25 | 10·61 | 10·34 | 97·23 | 12·76 | 95·73 | 12·00 | 96·58 | ... | ... | 335·25 | A. | A. | 6 | 20 |

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| | | Infantry—*contd.* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bombay ... | 6 | 1st Bn. Royal Fusiliers | 6 | 4 | 14·45 | 12·00 | 13·18 | 12·00 | 94·44 | 13·48 | 88·67 | 14·28 | 96·37 | ... | ... | 332·42 | A. | V. I. | 6 | 20 |
| Bengal ... | 7 | 1st Bn. Border Regiment | 6 | 12 | 12·24 | 11·00 | 11·65 | 12·00 | 93·58 | 11·65 | 96·15 | 11·21 | 96·15 | ... | ... | 332·39 | A. | A. | 6 | 20 |
| Ditto ... | 8 | 2nd Bn. Royal Munster Fusiliers. | 6 | ... | 12·76 | 10·43 | 11·42 | 12·50 | 92·73 | 12·37 | 94·44 | 12·37 | 95·51 | ... | ... | 331·34 | A. | F.A. | 6 | 20 |
| Ditto ... | 9 | 2nd Bn. Liverpool Regiment. | 6 | 8 | 12·24 | 11·21 | 11·65 | 10·71 | 95·08 | 13·18 | 91·02 | 12·50 | 97·01 | ... | ... | 331·15 | V.A. | I. | 6 | 15 |
| Ditto ... | 10 | 1st Bn. East Surrey Regiment. | 6 | 9 | 12·24 | 10·90 | 11·42 | 9·60 | 90·81 | 12·90 | 96·79 | 10·08 | 98·93 | ... | ... | 330·53 | V.A. | A. | 6 | 15 |
| Madras ... | 11 | 4th Bn. Rifle Brigade. | 6 | 12 | 13·04 | 11·00 | 12·00 | 10.16 | 85·47 | 16·00 | 95·30 | 14·28 | 94·44 | ... | ... | 327·65 | F.A. | A. | 6 | 15 |
| Bengal ... | 12 | 2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers. | 6 | ... | 12·37 | 10·00 | 10·90 | 10·81 | 94·44 | 13·48 | 90·82 | 12·90 | 93·80 | ... | ... | 327·15 | F.A. | I. | 6 | 15 |
| Ditto ... | 13 | 2nd Bn. Northumberland Fusiliers. | 6 | 18 | 10·52 | 9·52 | 10·16 | 10·90 | 93·80 | 11·21 | 93·80 | 9·75 | 97·23 | ... | ... | 326·85 | V.A. | F.A. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto ... | 14 | 1st Bn. East Lancashire Regiment. | 6 | 4 | 10·08 | 8·10 | 8·16 | 8·45 | 95·94 | 10·25 | 94·87 | 10·43 | 96·58 | ... | ... | 324·68 | A. | F.A. | 6 | 10 |
| Madras ... | 15 | 2nd Bn. Bedfordshire Regiment. | 6 | 5 | 13·18 | 9·30 | 13·04 | 10·43 | 91·24 | 9·44 | 95·73 | 10·90 | 93·58 | ... | ... | 324·36 | F.A. | A. | 6 | 10 |

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| Bengal | ... | 16 | 2nd Bn. Royal West Surrey Regiment. | 6 | 12 | 14·11 | 12·50 | 13·33 | 12·76 | 88·46 | 15·58 | 89·10 | 13·33 | 91·02 | ... | ... | 323·58 | I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Madras | ... | 17 | 2nd Bn. Somersetshire Light Infy. | 6 | 6 | 10·43 | 13·95 | 12·50 | 10·16 | 92·10 | 12·76 | 88·89 | 11·88 | 94·87 | ... | ... | 323·16 | F.A. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 18 | 2nd Bn. Royal Fusiliers | 4 | ... | 11·32 | 10·00 | 10·81 | 10·25 | 86·86 | 11·65 | 94·55 | 10·00 | 98·71 | ... | ... | 322·83 | V.A. | F.A. | 4 | 10 |
| Bengal | ... | 19 | 1st East Kent Regiment. | 6 | 12 | 13·18 | 11·76 | 12·63 | 11·11 | 90·38 | 12·76 | 87·17 | 11·88 | 96·15 | ... | ... | 322·08 | A. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Madras | ... | 20 | 1st Bn. Duke of Cornwall's Light Infy. | 6 | 12 | 13·79 | 10·90 | 13·04 | 11·00 | 94·02 | 13·18 | 79·28 | 16·00 | 95·51 | ... | ... | 322·03 | A. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 21 | 1st Bn. Cheshire Regiment. | 6 | 13 | 12·37 | 10·34 | 10·81 | 9·52 | 95·08 | 12·76 | 87·61 | 12·24 | 92·30 | ... | ... | 320·32 | I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Bombay | ... | 22 | 2nd Bn. Durham Light Infantry. | 6 | 14 | 14·45 | 11·88 | 13·18 | 12·00 | 91·02 | 15·18 | 82·26 | 16·00 | 90·60 | ... | ... | 320·24 | I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Bengal | ... | 23 | 1st Bn. Rifle Brigade ... | 6 | ... | 10·43 | 8·75 | 9·67 | 10·90 | 87·54 | 12·37 | 95·94 | 11·42 | 92·09 | ... | ... | 319·93 | I. | A. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 24 | 2nd Bn. Wiltshire Regiment. | 6 | 18 | 14·28 | 10·81 | 12·37 | 13·33 | 88·80 | 12·63 | 96·37 | 14·63 | 80·76 | ... | ... | 318·89 | V. I. | A. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 25 | 2nd Bn. Royal Irish Regiment. | 6 | 18 | 10·81 | 9·02 | 10·34 | 10·61 | 93·16 | 11·65 | 88·99 | 11·53 | 92·52 | ... | ... | 318·80 | I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 26 | 2nd Bn. Manchester Regiment. | 6 | 11 | 11·21 | 9·75 | 10·34 | 9·44 | 90·60 | 10·71 | 94·66 | 10·90 | 92·10 | ... | ... | 318·75 | I. | F.A. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 27 | 1st Bn. Royal Irish Fusiliers. | 6 | 16 | 11·21 | 8·95 | 9·75 | 9·09 | 92·10 | 11·76 | 91·88 | 10·43 | 93·38 | ... | ... | 318·39 | F.A. | I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 28 | 2nd Bn. Derbyshire Regiment. | 6 | 14 | 10·34 | 7·79 | 8·95 | 7·74 | 88·07 | 11·53 | 92·30 | 10·43 | 98·07 | ... | ... | 317·09 | V.A. | I. | 6 | 10 |
| Bombay | ... | 29 | 1st Bn. West Riding Regiment. | 6 | 19 | 12·24 | 10·25 | 11·21 | 10·00 | 86·11 | 13·48 | 89·74 | 11·11 | 90·82 | ... | ... | 312·47 | I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Bengal | ... | 30 | 2nd Bn. South Wales Borderers. | 6 | 6 | 11·00 | 9·23 | 9·83 | 9·09 | 94·65 | 10·90 | 85·89 | 12·00 | 89·10 | ... | ... | 311·46 | V. I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 31 | 2nd Bn. Royal Sussex Regiment. | 6 | 11 | 10·81 | 9·30 | 10·61 | 10·34 | 79·48 | 12·00 | 93·58 | 9·91 | 93·58 | ... | ... | 309·50 | F.A. | F.A. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 32 | 1st Bn. Worcestershire Regiment. | 6 | 14 | 10·16 | 8·63 | 9·37 | 10·81 | 88·96 | 14·45 | 83·97 | 10·61 | 89·74 | ... | ... | 307·91 | V. I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |

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| Bengal ... | 33 | 2nd Bn. Seaforth Highlanders. | 6 | 12 | 11·11 | 9.09 | 10·00 | 9·37 | 89·74 | 11·53 | 82·05 | 10·16 | 94·66 | ... | ... | 307·51 | F.A. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto ... | 34 | 1st Bn. Leinster Regiment. | 6 | 11 | 10·43 | 9·23 | 9·75 | 11·76 | 90·60 | 11·32 | 87·17 | 14·11 | 82·05 | ... | ... | 306·76 | V. I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Bombay ... | 35 | 2nd Bn. Royal Dublin Fusiliers. | 6 | 3 | 12·12 | 10·61 | 11·42 | 10·43 | 90·82 | 14·45 | 72·23 | 10·52 | 96·15 | ... | ... | 306·02 | A. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto ... | 36 | 2nd Bn. Middlesex Regiment. | 6 | 8 | 11·21 | 9·44 | 10·16 | 8·51 | 85·69 | 10·61 | 88·46 | 10·16 | 92·30 | ... | ... | 305·89 | I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Bengal ... | 37 | 1st Bn. Suffolk Regiment. | 6 | 18 | 10·81 | 8·00 | 9·67 | 9·75 | 82·05 | 14·81 | 88·67 | 13·63 | 85·89 | ... | ... | 304·47 | V. I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Madras ... | 38 | 2nd Bn. Leicestershire Regiment. | 6 | 10 | 10·52 | 7·74 | 8·82 | 8·00 | 89·32 | 9·44 | 87·82 | 7·54 | 92·94 | ... | ... | 303·88 | I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Bengal ... | 39 | 1st Bn. Royal Welsh Fusiliers. | 6 | 16 | 13·18 | 10·43 | 12·37 | 11·42 | 84·61 | 11·00 | 83·33 | 12·50 | 87·17 | ... | ... | 302·40 | V. I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto ... | 40 | 2nd Bn. Devonshire Regiment. | 6 | 13 | 11·21 | 9·16 | 10·34 | 8·88 | 81·62 | 8·57 | 91·24 | 11·21 | 87·17 | ... | ... | 299·03 | V. I. | I. | 4 | 10 |

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| Ditto | ... | 41 | 2nd Bn. Lincolnshire Regiment. | 6 | ... | 10·25 | 7·74 | 9·02 | 9·23 | 87·17 | 14·11 | 79·48 | 9·37 | 90·60 | ... | ... | 298·68 | I. | V. I. | 3 | 10 |
| Bombay | ... | 42 | 2nd Bn. Gloucestershire Regiment. | 6 | 3 | 14·63 | 10·43 | 12·24 | 9·83 | 73·07 | 12·24 | 95·73 | 12·90 | 82·48 | ... | ... | 298·49 | V. I. | I. | 5 | 10 |
| Bengal | ... | 43 | 2nd Bn. Scottish Rifles. | 6 | 12 | 11·42 | 9·52 | 10·16 | 11·65 | 80·76 | 11·42 | 88·46 | 10·08 | 84·61 | ... | ... | 297·14 | V. I. | V. I. | 4 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 44 | 2nd Bn. West Yorkshire Regiment. | 6 | 6 | 9·91 | 8·33 | 9·09 | 8·88 | 88·46 | 10·81 | 80·76 | 12·50 | 84·61 | ... | ... | 295·11 | V. I. | V. I. | 3 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 45 | 1st Bn. King's Own Scottish Borderers. | 6 | 11 | 9·83 | 7·54 | 9·09 | 10·16 | 83·33 | 9·60 | 78·20 | 11·00 | 91·02 | ... | ... | 292·40 | I. | V. I. | 2 | 10 |
| Madras | ... | 46 | 2nd Bn. Norfolk Regiment. | 6 | 25 | 9·67 | 7·10 | 8·57 | 8·45 | 83·76 | 8·88 | 81·41 | 7·59 | 86·75 | ... | ... | 285·41 | V. I. | V. I. | ... | ... |
| Bombay | ... | 47 | 2nd Bn. Lancashire Fusiliers. | 6 | 18 | 15·38 | 10·16 | 13·48 | 13·04 | 75·85 | 14·63 | 68·58 | 13·04 | 85·69 | ... | ... | 284·31 | V. I. | V. I. | 6 | 10 |
| Ditto | ... | 48 | 2nd Bn. Royal Lancaster Regiment. | 6 | 5 | 10·81 | 8·00 | 9·44 | 8·69 | 75·64 | 13·18 | 80·12 | 12·00 | 67·94 | ... | ... | 267·01 | V. I. | V. I. | 2 | 10 |
| Madras | ... | 49 | 2nd Bn. Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. | 6 | 2 | 15·00 | 10·34 | 12·00 | 10·52 | 84·83 | ... | ... | 13·95 | 66·24 | ... | ... | 187·54 | V. I. | un-trained. | ... | ... |
| Bengal | ... | | 1st Bn. Hampshire Regiment. | 6 | 3 | ... | On active service | | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ditto | ... | | 2nd Bn. Royal Warwickshire Regiment. | 6 | ... | 10·00 | 7·10 | 8·16 | 7·14 | 66·66 | Too bad for correction | | | | ... | ... | Not classified | | | ... | ... |
| Ditto | ... | | 1st Bn. Connaught Rangers. | ... | ... | ... | On active service | | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

*Head Quarters, Simla, 6th July* 1889.

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At a special examination held at Bangalore on the 27th May 1889, and following days, the undermentioned officers qualified as noted opposite their names :

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| Lieut | S. L. V. Crealock | Somersetshire Light Infy. | Examination in (c) (*d*), section IX, para. 39 (iii), Qneen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Captain. |
| ,, | J. D. W. Davy (1) | ...Oxford Light Infy. | |
| ,, | E. A. E. Lethbridge | ... ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | E. M. Childers (2) | ... ,, ,, ,, | |
| Captain | L. J. Torrie (1) | ...Madras Staff Corps. | Examination in Part II, para. 331, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II. |
| ,, | E. E. MacMahon (1), (2), (3), (4) | ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | J. F. Wilson | ... ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | H. S. Hudson (1) | ... ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | C. Stevens | ... ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | H. Eardley-Wilmot | ... ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | C. W. W. Burton (1) | ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | A. P. Westlake, *D. S. O.* (2) | ,, ,, ,, | |
| ,, | A. B. Murray (1), (2), (4) | ,, ,, ,, | |

(1) Distinguished in Military Law.
(2) ,, ,, Field Fortification.
(3) ,, ,, Military Topography.
(4) ,, ,, Tactics.

With reference to section VI, para. 153 (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*e*), (*f*), (*g*) and (*h*), Queen's Regulations, it is notified for the information of Officers Commanding British corps, that it has been decided to discontinue the "General Register of Military Offenders."

The submission of monthly Returns on Army Form B 191 will not, therefore, be required in future.

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**No. 303.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension for the period specified opposite his name :—

*1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—2nd Lieutenant F. L. Northcott, from the 12th July to the 24th September 1889, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

*Essex Regiment.*—2nd Lieutenant G. V. Holmes, Probationer, Staff Corps, officiating wing officer (on probation), 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), for one month, from the 3rd August 1889, or date of departure, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. India. Private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*2nd August* 1889.

**No. 304.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 5th and 9th July 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 31st ultimo.

**No. 305.**—The services of Lieutenant J. G. Baldwin, No. 8 (Heavy) Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division Royal Artillery, having been placed at the disposal of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, for appointment to No. 2 Bombay Mountain Battery, that officer is directed to proceed from Secunderabad to Poona as early as possible, reporting himself on arrival to the Assistant Adjutant General, Royal Artillery, Bombay.

**No. 306.**—Private Albert Field, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, doing duty in the Bellary Arsenal, is appointed 2nd Class Armourer Sergeant, on probation in the Reserve, and posted for duty to the Rangoon Arsenal. To join.

**No. 307.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captains J. S. S. Barker, M Battery 2nd Brigade Royal Artillery, and F. B. Bunny, Adjutant, Royal Artillery, Secunderabad District, just promoted to the rank of Major, are to proceed to England, as soon as possible.

Under para. 256 (*i*), Transport Regulations, Part I, and para. 512 (*c*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

**No. 308.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Lieutenant G. Humphreys, P Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed from Bangalore to Mhow to join G Battery B Brigade Royal Horse Artillery, to which he has been appointed

Under para. 513 (*k*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Passages, Inland.

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**No. 309.**—The undermentioned have passed the examination noted against their names :—

*Upper Burma Volunteer Rifles.*

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| Captain F. Sharp ... ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant-Major H. H. Beale ... | |
| Corporal P. Halinbery ... ... | |

*Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps.*

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| 2nd Lieutenant E. Ollenbach ... | Para. 99, Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, "Volunteers." |
| Sergeant N. Sullivan ... ... | |
| Private C. Carstens ... ... | |

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**No. 310.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*Lower Standard.*

1st *July* 1889.

*Sumbulpore.*

Lieutenant J. O. Travers, Devonshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Rangoon.*

Lieutenant M. R. Hurly, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Mandalay.*

2nd Lieutenant W. F. A. Hopkins, Royal Artillery.
,, J. A. Stewart, ,, ,,
Lieutenant A. J. Campbell, East Lancashire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

2nd *July* 1889.

*Bernardmyo.*

Captain H. W. Smith, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant H. D. Ozzard, ,, ,, ,,

*20th and 22nd July* 1889.

*Bangalore.*

Major F. H. Plowden, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
Lieutenant E. P. Johnson, Royal Engineers.
2nd Lieutenant F. W. Bagshawe, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

*Bolarum.*

Lieutenant G. S. Worsley, Royal Artillery.
2nd Lieutenant D. R. Adye, Leicestershire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Trichinopoly.*

2nd Lieutenant F. Bruce, Welsh Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Quilon.*

Lieutenant A. W. Newbold, Staff Corps.

*Bellary.*

Lieutenant W. M. Southey, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.
Private, No. 1201, J. Carter, " "

} Higher Standard.

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**No. 311.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

*32nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel W. Miller, General List Infantry, wing commander, to be second in command to fill an existing vacancy.

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**No. 312.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant F. N. Burton, Officiating Wing Officer (on probation) 27th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Brigade-Surgeon G. D. Riddell, returned from Burma, to do duty Madras District.

**No. 313.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished:—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 10th July* 1889.

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The portions of G.O.C.C.,† dated 29th November 1888, page 515, and G.O.C.C.,‡ dated 26th January 1889, page 35, regarding the submission of periodical muster rolls to the War Office on Army form N. 1498, and that portion of G. O. 16§ of 1889 which introduced that form are hereby cancelled, and the holding of monthly musters as heretofore is renewed from the 2nd July 1889.

The muster rolls will be prepared in the form of late Army form N. 1497-A, the form for which will be shortly introduced under a new number.

The rolls when complete will be sent *half yearly* only to the War Office, *viz.*, on the 31st March and 30th September.

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Lieutenant H. R. Beddoes, 7th Hussars, having been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Bengal Staff Corps, is posted to the 7th Hussars, pending orders from His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his disposal.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 10th July* 1889.

In continuation of G.O.C.C.,|| dated 18th April 1889, it is notified that the Government of India have sanctioned¶ as a tentative measure the annual musketry course of regiments of Native Cavalry and Infantry being executed as laid down in the annexed tables.

¶Military Department letter No. 733-C "Drill and Instruction," / Musketry dated 18th April 1889.

*Object.*—This revised course has for its object—

I.—To afford increased opportunities of practice, to officers and all subordinate section leaders, in the control and intelligent direction of fire.

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† G.O.C. No. 561 of 1888, pages 351 and 352.

‡ G.O.C. No. 78 of 1889, page 43.

§ S.G.O. No. 2 of 1889.

|| G.O.C. No. 204 of 1889, pages 123 to 128.

II.—To train the men, as a body, to deliver with precision and effect rapid collective fire, with as small a sacrifice of proficiency in individual marksmanship as possible.

III.—A closer assimilation between practices executed by the soldier in peace time, and the actual conditions of field service.

IV.—Reduction of the range work now executed by officers of the Native army.

V.—Simplification of musketry returns and consequent diminution of clerical labour.

In all practices both individual and collective the results are to be recorded as percentages *not* averages. The percentage will be obtained from the following proportion :—

I.—In the first (individual) period.

$$\text{h. p. s.} : \frac{\text{Total number of points obtained}}{\text{Number of men firing}} :: 100 : \text{percentage required}$$

$$\text{or, the percentage} = \frac{\text{Total number of points obtained} \times 100}{\text{Highest possible score per man} \times \text{number of men.}}$$

Hence the rule :—Multiply the number of points obtained by 100 for a dividend, and multiply the highest possible score per man by the number of men, for a divisor ; the quotient to two places of decimals gives the percentage required.

II.—In the second (collective) period and field practices, the result will be calculated as a percentage of hits to rounds allotted to the practice which will be obtained by multiplying the number of hits by 100 and dividing the product by the number of rounds allowed to two places of decimals.

A percentage calculated as above shows the firing value of the individual or body in any practice.

*Figure of Merit*—.The figure of merit of a section, troop, company, or battalion, will henceforth be calculated by adding together the percentages obtained in the 1st (Individual) and 2nd (Collective) Periods thus—

1st Period 60·29 }
2nd ,, 40·75 } 101·04=Figure of Merit.

*Judging Distance.*—The execution of Judging distance practice will still be restricted, as a general rule, to recruits and to those enumerated in para. 303, Native Musketry Regulations ; but any recruit who has shown a special aptitude or liking for this part of his training should continue to attend the aforesaid periodic exercises when he has qualified as a trained soldier, even though there be no intention of promoting him to the non-commissioned rank. Care should be taken however

lest such men come to regard judging distances as an irksome and additional duty, they should be led to understand that their selection as good judges of distance is a distinction, due to their individual skill, and on this account it is desirable that all private soldiers who are detailed for this exercise should be exempted from some other equivalent duty or fatigue.

*Prizes.*—The Government of India have also sanctioned* as a tentative measure a revised scheme for the awarding of musketry prizes to the Native Army, and have authorised a fixed sum of 5 annas in the Cavalry and Sappers and Miners and 10 annas in the Infantry being passed for each *trained soldier* exercised *through* the annual course of individual firing (1st Period range practices), and also a sum of Rs. 20 for each regiment of Native Infantry, all the companies of which have been fully exercised.

*Military Department letter No. 1208-C. "Drill and Instruction," / Musketry. dated 26th June 1889.

The money thus rendered available is to be allotted in prizes in the following proportion :—

| | Cavalry and Sappers and Miners. | Infantry. |
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| (*a*) For good performances in the individual firing (1st Period range practices). Commanding Officers may, under the orders of General Officers Commanding, use their discretion should they desire to take into consideration the different conditions under which the individual firing may have been performed by different troops or companies. | One-half of the total sum earned. | One-third of the total sum earned. |
| (*b*) For good performances in the collective firing (2nd Period range practices). | Ditto | Ditto |
| (*c*) For good performances in the field practices. | *Nil* | Ditto |

(Prize holders need not necessarily have qualified as marksmen.)

The distribution of these grants being left to the discretion of Commanding Officers of corps, subject to the approval of General Officers Commanding, schemes will be prepared and submitted on an early date.

A scheme once approved may only be modified with the concurrence of the General Officer Commanding.

When the details for the award of the prizes have been settled, they are to be made known to all concerned.

It is very desirable that prizes should be awarded immediately they are won, and Commanding Officers are therefore requested to arrange for the distribution of rewards with the least possible delay.

Badges will, until further orders, be issued in accordance with the rules laid down in para. 313, Native Musketry Regulations.

The names of all prize winners (money or badges) are to be published in regimental or detachment orders, and all prizes should be distributed with as much publicity as the Commanding Officer may deem desirable.

It is to be clearly understood that the course herein laid down and also the system of awarding prizes, are tentative only, and that their continuance beyond the present musketry season will depend upon the manner in which they are found to work in practice. Commanding Officers are therefore requested, when forwarding their annual returns, to attach a covering letter reporting on the course, and on the revised rules for the distribution of rewards.

General Officers Commanding are also requested to submit for His Excellency's consideration any remarks they may wish to offer as to the advisability or otherwise of finally adopting the course and the system of awarding prizes herein laid down.

Revised Musketry forms are now in the press and will be issued to all concerned as soon as possible; but as there may be some delay in their distribution, a specimen copy of the form to be used for recording the results of the 2nd Period range practices (Collective firing) is herewith promulgated for information and guidance.

Should Commanding Officers desire to commence the 2nd Period range practices forthwith, they are at liberty to have copies of this form printed locally, their cost being defrayed from lead and cartridge case funds, or to cause the preparation of manuscript copies sufficient for immediate requirements.

The new forms will admit of the names of a whole section being entered at one time; and if sections are rendered as complete as possible before proceeding to target practice, considerable clerical labour will be saved.

## TABLE A.—CAVALRY AND SAPPERS AND MINERS.

### RANGE PRACTICES.

*1st Period (Individual.)*

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. | | Position. | Classification. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Yds. | Rounds. | | | M.-H. | Snider. |
| 3rd class | 150 | 5 | Standing ... | Marksman... | 80 | 65 |
| | 300 | 5 | Kneeling or sitting. | 1st class ... | 70 | 50 |
| 2nd class... | 500 | 10 | 5 rounds lying down and then 5 sitting. | 2nd class ... | 50 | 35 |
| 1st class ... | 600 | 10 | Any Military position. | 3rd class | Under 50 | 35 |

*2nd Period (Collective).*

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. | | Position. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Yds. | Rounds. | |
| 6 feet by 12 feet, khaki color; one foot to be left white at top; hits, including ricochets on the colored part of the target only, to count one point. Two 2nd class targets may be utilised. | 600 | 5 | Volleys, lying down. |
| | 500 | 5 | ,, ,, |
| | 400 | 5 | ,, ,, |
| 3 feet high, 8 feet long, khaki color; band of 6 inches to be left white at top of target: hits, including ricochets on the colored part of the target only, to count one point. | 250 | 5 | Rapid volleys, sitting. One minute, fifteen seconds allowed. |
| NOTE.—It is to be distinctly understood that no hits on the white part of the targets are to count. | | | |

*Field Practices.*

| Rounds. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cavalry 10<br>Sappers and Miners 50. | Commandant's allowance. | To be expended at such times and in such field practices as under the direction of General Officers may be deemed best for the purpose of improving the shooting of the men. |
| 10 | Regimental or brigade field firing. | |

Those who fail to obtain 50 points (Snider 35 points) in the Individual Range Practices will repeat their entire 1st Period, utilising for this purpose the 20 rounds sanctioned for their collective firing together with the commandant's allowance of 10 rounds. They will execute the 2nd Period with blank ammunition. The repeated practice, which will not be included when calculating the figure of merit, may be supervised by a Native officer.

*Recruits.*

This course will remain as at present, except that recruits will henceforth execute volley firing at 400 and 500 yards, as laid down for Infantry recruits, in lieu of skirmishing.

The individual firing is to be divided into three periods, *viz.:*

1st Period—100 and 200 yards; 10 rounds at each distance.
2nd ,, —300 and 400 ,, ,, ,,
3rd ,, —500 and 600 ,, ,, ,,

Recruits are required to obtain 40 points (Snider 30 points) in the 1st Period before being passed to the 2nd, and a similar number in the 2nd Period before being passed to the 3rd. In the 3rd Period they must obtain 30 points (Snider 20 points) before qualifying as trained recruits:

## TABLE B.—INFANTRY.

### Range Practices.

*1st Period (Individual).*

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. | | Position. | Classification. | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Yds. | Rounds. | | | Martini-Henry. | Snider. | |
| 3rd class ... | 150 | 5 | Standing ... | Marksman ... | 85 | 75 | |
| | 300 | 5 | Kneeling ... | 1st class ... | 75 | 65 | |
| 2nd class ... | 500 | 10 | 5 rounds lying down and then 5 kneeling. | 2nd class ... | 55 | 45 | |
| 1st class ... | 700 | 10 | Lying down ... | 3rd class | under 55 | 45 | |

## 2nd Period (Collective).

| Target. | Distance and number of rounds. | | Description of fire. | Position. | Sights. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Yds. | Rounds. | | | | |
| 6 feet by 12 feet, khaki color; one foot to be left white at top: hits, including ricochets, on the colored part of the target only, to count one point. Two 2nd class targets may be utilised. | 800<br>700 | 5<br>5 | Section volleys | Extended order. Any Military position. | Regulation. Aim to be taken at bottom of target, full sight. | |
| 6 feet by 8 feet as above ... | 600 | 5 | Section volleys | Extended order. Kneeling. | Regulation ... | |
| 6 feet by 8 feet as above ... | 500 | 5 | | | | |
| 6 feet by 8 feet as above ... | 400 | 5 | Rapid Section volleys, fixed bayonets. One minute allowed. | Close order. Front rank kneeling, rear rank standing. | Ditto ... | |
| 3 feet high and 3 feet long, khaki color; band of 6 inches to be left white at top of target: hits on the colored part of the target only, including ricochets, to count one point. | 300 | 5 | Ditto ... | Ditto ... | Ditto ... | |
| | 200 | 5 | Rapid independent, fixed bayonets. One minute allowed, and no shots to be fired after the expiration of that period. | Standing. Rank entire. | Ditto ... | |

Note:—1. It is to be distinctly understood that no hits on the white part of the target are to count.

2. *Rapid section volleys.*—A high standard of fire discipline and smartness in handling arms is requisite to produce five effective volleys in the given time, and drill with dummy cartridges is recommended to Commanding Officers as a valuable preparation for the execution of this practice.

## FIELD PRACTICES.

*When practicable these exercises are to be performed off the range.*

| Practice. | Distance, rounds, &c. Yds. | Rounds. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Moving ... ... ... | Between 100 and 200. | 5 | The method of conducting these practices is entirely optional. The targets may bear any suitable device, but must not exceed 2 feet square. |
| Vanishing ... ... ... | Between 100 and 200 | 5 | |
| Attack ... ... ... | 600 to 150 | 10 | 2 targets 3 feet by 8 feet (as at 300 yards, 2nd Period). Targets to be at least 20 feet apart. |
| Skirmishing ... ... ... | 450 and 200 | 10 | |
| Company field firing ... ... | ...... | 10 | |
| Brigade or regimental field firing ... | ...... | 10 | |
| Commandant's allowance ... | ...... | 15 | To be expended at such times and in such field practices as under the direction of General Officers, may be deemed best for the purpose of improving the shooting of the men. |

Men who fail to obtain 55 points (Snider 45 points in the 1st Period range practices are debarred from executing moving, vanishing or skirmishing practices, and the 20 rounds of ammunition thus made available, together with 10 rounds to be taken from the Commandant's allowance, will be utilised for the purpose of causing these 3rd class shots to repeat the 1st Period during the current season. This repeated practice, which will not be included when calculating the figure of merit, may be supervised by a Native officer.

*Recruits.*

This course will remain as at present.

The individual firing will be divided into three periods, *viz.*:

1st Period—100 and 200 yards.
2nd ,, —300 and 400 ,,
3rd ,, —500 and 600 ,,

Recruits are required to obtain 55 points (Snider 50 points) in the 1st Period before being passed to the 2nd, and a similar number in the 2nd Period before being passed to the 3rd. In the 3rd Period they must obtain 45 points (Snider 40 points) before qualifying as trained recruits.

**Indian Army Form.**
No. ____
*Supplied gratis.*

SPECIMEN COPY OF COLLECTIVE FIRING REGISTER.

NATIVE TROOPS.

________ *Regiment* ________ *Company* ________ *Section.*

COMMENCED { *Place* ________ *Date* ________     CONCLUDED { *Place* ________ *Date* ________

REGISTER OF COLLECTIVE FIRING.

To be used for the range practices (2nd Period).

(* Show in these columns opposite each man's name whether the practice has been performed, or otherwise, thus:—P. or N. P.)

| Succession No. | Rank. | Names. In English. | Names. In the Vernacular. | 800 yards. *Section Volleys.* Extended order, any military position.* | 700 yards. *Section Volleys.* Extended order, any military position.* | 600 yards. *Section Volleys.* Extended order, kneeling.* | 500 yards. *Section Volleys.* Extended order, kneeling.* | 400 yards. *Rapid Section Volleys.* Fixed bayonets; front rank kneeling, rear rank standing.* | 300 yards. *Rapid Section Volleys.* Fixed bayonets; front rank kneeling, rear rank standing.* | 200 yards. *Rapid Independent.* Fixed bayonets; 1 minute allowed standing, rank entire.* | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL. { Number of men ... ... | | | | | | | | | | | Grand Total. { Men ... |
| Number of rounds allowed ... | | | | | | | | | | | Rounds ... |
| Number of hits ... ... | | | | | | | | | | | Hits ... |
| Percentage of hits to rounds allowed | | | | | | | | | | | Percentage |
| *(Initials of Superintending Officers, and date.)* | | | | | | | | | | | |

I/we certify that I was/we were present at the Firing point during the execution of these practices; that they were conducted strictly in accordance with the Regulations; that the above-named men are those who actually fired, and that the register contains a faithful record of the results.

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________ } *Superintending Officers.*

*Head Quarters, Simla, 15th July* 1889.

The names of candidates for examination in subjects (*c*) and (*d*), or of officers who desire to attend a course of garrison instruction, must be submitted on the usual forms by the dates specified in paragraphs 1312 and 1323 (*d*), Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, otherwise the applications cannot be entertained.

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Attention is called to the Army (Annual) Act, 1889, 52 Vict., Ch. 3, and to the amendments made thereby to the Army Act, 1881, printed in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th June 1889, by which it is provided that the Army Act, 1881, will be in force in India from the 31st December 1889 to the 31st December 1890, both days inclusive.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointment, subject to the approval of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief.

21*st Hussars*.—Lieutenant J. G. Fair to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain H. Finn, whose tenure of the appointment has expired. Dated 1st July 1889.

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant :—

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|---|---|---|
| 2nd Lieutenant S. H. Bradford ... | Duke of Con. Light Infantry. |
| ,, ,, L. P. H. Bliss ... | |

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| ,, ,, H. W. Heffernan | ... Norfolk Regiment. |
| ,, ,, C. C. Blackburn | |
| ,, ,, C. R. Ballard | |

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In G. O. C. C.,† page 195, dated 17th May 1889, *dele* " G. O. C. C.,‡ dated 5th January 1889, and ".

† G.O.C. No. 242 of 1889, page 151. ‡ G.O.C. No. 44 of 1889, page 23.

**No. 314.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,*
*19th July* 1889.

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320. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required Examination in the following languages :—

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Arabic—*Higher Standard.*

First Class Sergeant Instructor W. J. Prendergast, Hyderabad Volunteer Rifles.

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Hindustani—*Higher Standard.*

Lieutenant A. G. Ferguson, Rifle Brigade.

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**No. 315.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the periods specified opposite their names :—

*2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.*—Major R. K. Watson, from the 17th July 1889 to the 1st January 1890, on medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon S. C. Philson, from the 22nd July 1889, to date of re-embarkation, for duty in India.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*9th August* 1889.

**No. 316.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 12th and 16th July 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 7th instant.

**No. 317.**—The undermentioned officers of the Medical Staff, on the Madras Establishment who have either completed, or will, before April 1890, complete five years' foreign service will proceed to England during the ensuing trooping season, and will be detailed by the Surgeon-General, Her Majesty's Forces, Bengal, for duty with troops embarking in the several troopships.

2. Medical officers requiring passage for their families should apply to the General Officer Commanding the District in which they are serving, who will arrange with the Officer Commanding at the port of embarkation for allotment of the authorised accommodation in the troopship to which they will be detailed.

3. Under no circumstances are tour-expired Medical Staff Officers to be directed to proceed to Bombay; all such officers will proceed to Deolali, and on receipt of intimation of the troopship to which the Medical Officers have been detailed,

General Officers Commanding Districts should issue orders accordingly :—

Surgeon Major A. Lewer,
" J. Fraser, M.D.
" W. J. S. Campbell.

Surgeon J. Anderson, M B.
" P. J. Nealon, M.D.
" T. R. Morse.
" J. Riordan, M.B.
" A. E. Tate.

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**No. 318.**—As the reports of the annual inspection of the Royal Artillery serving in the Madras Presidency show that in several batteries men were absent "on duty" who should have attended the inspecting officers' parade, the attention of officers concerned is directed to "Army Regulations, India," Volume II, para. 235, and to para. 192 of the "Regulations for the Royal Artillery in India."

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**No. 319.**—The undermentioned soldiers having satisfactorily completed their period of probation as Armourer Sergeants are transferred to the Corps of Armourer Sergeants, as 2nd Class Armourer Sergeants with effect from the 11th May 1888 :—

Corporal Ernest Blaymires, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment.

Private Elijah Frost, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers.

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**No. 320.**—At the half-yearly Examinations held by the Civil Service Commissioners in April 1889, the undermentioned officers of the Madras Staff Corps were declared to have qualified as interpreters in the Russian Language, under Horse Guards' G.O.s No. 12 and 13 of 1887 :—

Captain M. H. S. Grover, 2nd Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant B. Holloway, 2nd Madras Lancers.

**No. 321.**—The nine months' leave to England on private affairs granted to Lieutenant W. P. Braithwaite, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, in G. O. C. No. 45 of 1889, is extended by three months.

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**No. 322.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in the Vernaculars set opposite their names:—

*15th and 16th July* 1889.

*Madras.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Lance Sergeant C. J. Smith, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | High Proficiency, Tamil. |
| Lieutenant H. V. Cox, Staff Corps ... | Lower Standard, Persian. |
| Surgeon P. C. H. Gordon, Medical Staff... | Higher Standard, Tamil. |
| Private T. Hodge, 7th Hussars ... | Lower Standard, Persian. |

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**No. 323.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani:—

*20th July* 1889.

*Berhampore.*

Lieutenant R. M. Bell, Staff Corps.

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**No. 324.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

*Station Staff.*—Captain R. H. F. Lombe, 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, 4th Class, Chin Hills, with effect from date of departure of the General Officer Commanding and Staff from Fort White.

*25th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain A. B. Murray, wing officer and officiating wing commander, 28th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

**No. 325**.—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 10th July* 1889.

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The formation of a reserve of Non-commissioned officers trained in Commissariat supply duties being desirable, two Non-commissioned officers or specially selected private soldiers of each British Corps will be temporarily attached to the Commissariat Department for three months during the non-drill season of each year for a preliminary course of training in the supply duties pertaining to the department.

2. While so employed they will be excused all regimental duties, but will continue to reside in barracks and will not receive any staff allowance.

3. At the end of the course an examination will be held and certificates granted to men who have qualified. Those who have obtained certificates will have the preference when men are required for temporary employment in, or permanent appointment to, the department; but candidates for permanent appointment must be under ten years' service, and pass the preliminary examination required by para. 37, Army Regulations, India, Vol. V.

4. Non-commissioned officers and men who have qualified in supply and also in transport duties under G. O. C. C.,† dated 11th April 1889, and who are candidates for permanent employment, will be selected in preference to those who have qualified in the preliminary course of training in one branch only.

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*Head Quarters Simla, 18th July* 1889.

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The attention of Officers Commanding British Corps serving in India is specially drawn to paras 202A and 202B (as published by India Army Circulars, clause 36, of 1889) and para. 472 (as amended by India Army Circulars, clause 36, of 1889) of the instructions for the payment of British troops serving in India, regarding compulsory stoppages from a soldier's pay for the benefit of his wife or children.

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† S.G.O. No. 27 of 1889.

2. The Commander-in-Chief directs that the orders contained in the paragraphs cited be carefully complied with in future by all officers concerned

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With reference to G. O. C. C,† dated 8th November 1888, page 487, it is notified that the Government of India have been pleased to sanction the MacIver line of steamers being placed, provisionally for one year, on the same footing as the steamers of the Peninsular and Oriental and certain other companies, in respect to officers travelling by such steamers being exempted from the penalty attached to overstaying their furlough or leave out of India by reason of any delay in the arrival of the vessel in which they return to India, provided they take their passage in a steamer timed to arrive within the period of their leave.

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The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*Corps of Guides.*—Captain H. F. V. Gaitskell, to remain in Kashmir, on medical certificate, from the 29th June to the 30th July 1889, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of ninety days' privilege leave granted him by the General Officer Commanding the Punjab Frontier Force.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 20th July* 1889.

With reference to G. O. C. C.,‡ dated 12th March 1889, page 87, it is notified that the ninety days' Burma privilege leave therein referred to may be taken in instalments, provided the whole period of the leave is completed in the year in which it is granted.

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With reference to G. O. C. C.,§ dated 10th July 1889, the attention of Commanding Officers is specially directed to the increased importance now attached to collective fire, and to

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† G.O.C. No. 522 of 1888, page 329. ‡ G.O.C. No. 156 of 1889, page 84.
§ G.O.C. No. 313 of 1889, pages 225 to 235.

certain essential differences which should henceforth be observed when conducting individual and collective practices respectively. The chief difference consists in the method of aiming, instructions for which are contained in paras. 104 to 116 of the Native Musketry Regulations; but, in order to carry out the complete and satisfactory training of individuals for collective fire, it will be seen that some modification in the principle of these instructions has now become requisite.

To produce the best results from collective fire, it is necessary that aim should be taken quickly, and retained until the word "*fire*" is given, the reason being that it is outside the power of the individual to determine at what uncertain moment he may be called upon to release the trigger. For if, at the word "*fire*," he has not yet settled his aim or, having settled it, has lost it; or, if through force of habit he has pulled the trigger without orders on first acquiring aim, a loss of power and effect will be the inevitable consequence The last error is especially pernicious, as it has been conclusively proved in practice that the premature fire of one man will vitiate the general results in a degree altogether out of proportion to his own good or bad shooting. In fact, individual accuracy cannot compensate for a "ragged" volley, and in those collective practices, the importance of which is now being insisted on, exactitude of aim must always be subservient to punctuality in obedience to the word of command. It is evident then that the very accurate aim and the gradual pressure of the trigger hitherto inculcated as essential to good shooting are ill-suited to the requirements of collective practices, and that instructions will have to be modified accordingly. The extent to which such modifications should be carried is left to the discretion of Commanding Officers, it having been thought sufficient in the meantime to draw attention to the subject generally.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments:

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*33rd Bengal Infantry.*—Lieutenant M. R. E. Ray, Norfolk Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated the 2nd July 1889.

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**No. 326.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite his name :—

*Medical Staff*—Brigade-Surgeon F. Ferguson, from the 12th July 1889, to date of re-embarkation.

The undermentioned officer and warrant officers have leave of absence :—

*7th Hussars.*—2nd Lieutenant the *Hon'ble* R. A. P. North, to England, for six months on medical certificate.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—2nd Grade Apothecary S. F. Michael, for ninety days, with effect from the 21st May 1889, or date of departure, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. The first 60 days will be on full pay, under Articles 633 and 898, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I. India. Medical certificate.

2nd Grade Assistant Apothecary J. A. R. Pope, for 120 days, with effect from the 10th June 1889, or date of departure, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. The first 90 days will be on full pay, under Articles 633 and 898, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I. Madras. Medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Addendum.*—To G.O.C. No. 305 of 1889 add the following :—

"Under para. 513 (*x*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II, Passages, Inland."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
16*th August* 1889.

**No. 327.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 19th and 23rd July 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 14th instant.

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**No. 328.**—It having been brought to notice that students attending the School of Musketry, Secunderabad, have in many instances not had a competent knowledge of the firing exercises before joining the School, the attention of Officers Commanding Corps is invited to para. 8 of G.O.C. No. 175 of 1889.

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**No. 329.**—With reference to para. 2697, *et seq.*, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, Part II, the monthly examinations in the Hindustani language by the Higher and Lower Standards at Fort Saint George will be conducted by a Committee appointed by the General Officer Commanding Madras District, the examination papers being furnished and disposed of by Colonel J. W. S. Butler, Staff Corps, officiating Commandant, 26th Regiment Madras Infantry, who is appointed to conduct the duties of Examiner in Hindustani during the absence on 90 days' privilege leave of Colonel A. Curtois.

2. The procedure laid down for out stations in paras. 2659 to 2661 *Ibid* will be observed by the Committee at Madras.

**No. 330.**—With reference to para. 744, Army Regulations, India, Volume II (Discipline), and S. G. O. No. 32 of 1886, the undermentioned soldiers have been selected to go through a course of instruction at the Clothing Agency, Madras, from the 1st September 1889. To travel to and fro at the public expense:—

No. 3059, Sergeant W. E. Field, 7th Hussars.

No. 732, Private M. L. Haynes, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

No. 53, Private J. Lander, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.

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**No. 331.**—The undermentioned Officers will attend the course of Garrison Instruction commencing at Bangalore on the 7th September 1889:—

| Corps. | Rank and Name. |
|---|---|
| Staff Corps (14th Regiment Madras Infantry). | Capt. H. Lawson. |
| ,, (6th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent). | ,, D. W. Purdon. |
| ,, (9th Regiment Madras Infantry). | Lieut. J. Jackson. |
| Bengal Staff Corps (2nd Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent). | Capt. E. L. Wright. |
| ,, (1st Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent). | Lieut. F. Oswald. |
| 7th Hussars ... ... | ,, G. L. Holdsworth. |
| 21st Hussars ... ... | Capt. H. Finn. |
| 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regt... | Lieut. D. Patrick. |
| ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, W. T. W. Scott. |
| ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, H. W. N. Coates. |
| ,, ,, ,, ... | ,, J. E. L. Gibbs. |

Officers from out-stations will travel on duty at the public expense, under Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part I, para. 174 (*g*), and Part II, para. 513 (*i*).

*N.B.—All officers must be medically examined and reported fit to undergo the course.*

**No. 332.**—Lieutenant T. E. W. Bidgood, Royal Artillery, who has been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is directed to proceed from Rangoon to Madras, to join No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery, late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division Royal Artillery, pending orders from His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his final disposal.

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**No. 333.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Lieutenant St. J. A. D. Muter, Auxiliary Depôt, Eastern Division, has been transferred to the 19th Field Battery Royal Artillery (late P Battery 1st Brigade).

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**No. 334.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*Mandalay, 20th July* 1889.

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|---|---|
| Captain F. F. Minchin, Royal Artillery ... ... | Higher Standard. |
| Lieutenant E. G. Wright, Bengal Staff Corps ... ... | |
| " L. H. Walker, Staff Corps ... ... | |
| *Madras, 5th August* 1889. | |
| Lieutenant E. H. Bernard, Staff Corps ... ... | |
| 2nd Lieutenant W. H. Jones, Royal Artillery ... | Lower Standard. |

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**No. 335.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Burmese according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*4th June* 1889.

*Mandalay.*

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|---|---|
| Lieutenant B. A. James, Royal Engineers ... | Lower Standard. |
| Havildar Shaikh Dawood, 32nd Regiment Madras Infantry. | |

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|---|---|
| Private, No. 1553, J. McCarthy, Hampshire Regiment ... | Elementary Standard. |
| ,, No. 23, G. Girton, 27th Regiment Madras Infantry | |
| Lance-Naik, No. 813, Shaikh Hyder, 27th Regiment Madras Infantry. | |
| *Kendat.* | |
| Sepoy, No. 1837, Mahomed Shariff Khan, 10th Regiment Bengal Infantry. | |

**No. 336.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant C. H. M. Hitchins, 11th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, 4th Class, Cannanore, *vice* Captain R. K. Tevershain, *D.S.O.*, relieved. Dated 1st August 1889.

**No. 337.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major G. Laffan, M.D., doing duty Secunderabad District, to do duty Myingyan and Mandalay Districts. To travel at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

**No. 338.**—The following extracts from Royal Artillery Regimental Order No. 89, dated Horse Guards, 1st July 1889, are published for information :—

"The Secretary of State for War having decided that a redistribution of the Royal Regiment of Artillery is to be carried out, His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct that the following changes be made, with effect from the 1st July 1889 :—

The regiment will, as at present, be composed of—

Horse Artillery.
Field Artillery.
Mountain Artillery.
Garrison Artillery.

The "brigade" designations in the Horse, Field and Garrison Artillery will be abolished, and the batteries of these branches

will be lettered and numbered as hereinafter set forth.—

*Royal Horse Artillery.*

The batteries of Horse Artillery will be lettered from A to T, according to their formation and service.

*Field Artillery.*

The batteries of this branch will be numbered from one upwards, according to the date of formation, the present letter and brigade designation being abolished.

*Garrison Artillery.*

The whole of the Garrison Artillery to be divided into three large groups, to be designated respectively.—

(1) Eastern Division,
(2) Southern Division,
(3) Western Division,

the present territorial and other designations being abolished.

The batteries in each division to be numbered from one upwards according to date of formation."

2. With reference to the above the following table shows the new designations of batteries of Royal Horse Artillery and of Field Artillery serving in the Madras Presidency :—

| Present. | | Becomes. |
|---|---|---|
| Battery. | Brigade. | |
| H | B | N Battery. |
| M | B | R ,, |
| P | 1 | 19th Field Battery. |
| Q | 1 | 38th ,, ,, |
| R | 1 | 61st ,, ,, |
| S | 1 | 76th ,, ,, |
| U | 1 | 59th ,, ,, |
| M | 2 | 79th ,, ,, |
| I | 3 | 20th ,, ,, |
| I | 4 | 21st ,, ,, |

The new designations of the batteries of Garrison Artillery serving in the Madras Presidency are as follows :—

| Present. | | Becomes. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Battery. | Division. | Battery. | Division. |
| 7 | London | No. 1 | Eastern |
| 2 | Eastern | No. 13 | Eastern |
| 7 | Cinque Ports | No. 21 | Eastern |
| 8 | Cinque Ports | No. 22 | Eastern |
| 4 | Lancashire | No. 20 | Southern |

3. Until the 30th September next, batteries will use their old designations in addition to, and after, the new ones now notified, thus :—

N Battery Royal Horse Artillery (late H Battery B Brigade).

19th Field Battery Royal Artillery (late P Battery 1st Brigade).

No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division).

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**No. 339.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 25th July* 1889.

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Attention is invited to the following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st June 1889 :

Correction to Queen's Regulations, 1885—

Army Order 259, Examinations for promotion, Army Service Corps.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to sanction the following transfer:

*Army Pay Department.*—Major J. C. T. Humfrey, Paymaster 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be Paymaster of the 1st King's Dragoon Guards.

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**No. 340.**—Leave of absence:—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite his name:—

*Medical Staff*—Surgeon W. B. Day, M.B., from the 1st September to the 11th October 1889, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence:—

*District Staff.*—Major-General C. J. East, C.B., Commanding Secunderabad District, privilege leave for 40 days, from the 23rd August 1889 or date of departure.

*General List, Cavalry.*—Colonel A. Curtois, Examiner in Hindustani, privilege leave for 90 days, from the 10th August 1889 or date of departure.

*Staff Corps.*—Captain R. H. C. Tufnell, Adjutant, Madras Volunteer Guards, for 14 days, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, from the 20th August 1889 or subsequent date of departure. Pulnai Hills. Private affairs.

*21st Hussars.*—2nd Lieutenant R. H. L. J. deMontmorency, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—2nd Grade Assistant Apothecary M. N. Ryland, for 137 days, in extension of the leave granted him by G.O.C. No. 112 of 1889. India. Medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Corrigendum.*—In G.O.C. No. 175 of 1889, clause 10, page 104, *for* "Bond's Treatise on Military Small Arms and Ammunition," *substitute* "The Treatise on Military Small Arms 1888."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*23rd August* 1889.

**No. 341.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 26th and 30th July 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 22nd instant.

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**No. 342.**—The soldiers named below have been awarded silver medals for "long service and good conduct" under the provisions of Articles 1165 to 1183, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I:—

P. M. G. No. 5471, dated 14th August 1889.

*With Gratuity.*

Fife Major Andrew William Murray, 30th Regiment Madras Infantry.

Drummer Hugh Langan, 30th Regiment Madras Infantry.

*Without Gratuity.*

Barrack Sergeant Edward Pluckrose, Barrack Department.

**No. 343.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men are reported to have completed a special course of instruction at the First Class Gymnasium, Secunderabad, and to have obtained certificates as stated :—

| Corps. | Regtl. No. | Rank and Name. | | Certificates. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| U Battery 1st Brigade Royal Artillery. | 37235 | Ag. Bombr. | T. Leonard ... | 1st Class. | |
| 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry. | 802 | Lce.-Corpl. | W. Hague .. | do. | |
| | 387 | do. ... | F. Vowles ... | do. | |
| 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment. | 538 | do. ... | J. Horne ... ... | do. | |
| 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | 1961 | Private ... | W. Collingbourne ... | do. | |
| | 1547 | do. ... | J. Hobbis ... | do. | |
| 4th (P. W. O.) Regiment Light Cavalry. | 226 | do. ... | Muhammad Bahuddin | 1st Class. | For Gymnastics only. |
| Queen's Own Sappers and Miners. | 1641 | Sapper ... | Chinnasamy ... | 2nd Class. | |
| Do. ... | 1200 | do. ... | Shaikh Sultan ... | 1st Class. | |
| 1st Madras Pioneers... | 1059 | Private ... | Abdul Aziz ... | 2nd Class. | |
| Do. ... | 1069 | do. ... | Audiah ... ... | 1st Class. | |
| 2nd Madras Infantry | 1399 | do. ... | Shekh Hoosain ... | do. | |
| 8th Do. ... | 1219 | do. ... | Narrainsawmy ... | do. | |
| 9th Do. ... | 1846 | do. ... | Mahomed Hashim ... | do. | |
| 11th Do. ... | 805 | do. ... | Gooranah ... | do. | |
| Do. ... | 1261 | do. ... | Ramasawmy ... | do. | |
| Do. ... | 1288 | do. ... | Qadir Sharif ... | do. | |
| 14th Do. ... | 3868 | do. ... | Muhammad Yusuf ... | 2nd Class. | |
| Do. ... | 3796 | do. ... | Sillamon Khan ... | do. | |
| 21st Do. ... | 1450 | do. ... | Sillamon Khan ... | do. | |
| Do. ... | 1492 | do. ... | Shekh Ismail ... | 1st Class. | |
| 22nd Do. ... | 906 | do. ... | Seetaramiah ... | do. | |
| 29th Do. ... | 1008 | do. ... | Shaik Ebraham .. | do. | |

| Corps. | Regtl. No. | Rank and Name. | | Certificates. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 31st Madras Light Infantry. | 1705 | Private ... | Kistnasawmy ... | 2nd Class. | For Gymnastics only. |
| Do. ... | 1335 | do. ... | Thalub Hoosain ... | do. | |
| 33rd Madras Infantry | 3050 | Lce. Naik... | Syed Abdool Rashen... | 1st Class. | |
| Do. ... | 3248 | do. ... | Abdool Suttar ... | do. | |
| Do. ... | 3347 | Private ... | Abdool Rahmon ... | do. | |
| Do. ... | 3087 | do. ... | Naganah ... ... | do. | |
| Do. ... | 3285 | do. ... | Syed Abdool Gunny... | 2nd Class. | |
| Do. ... | 3298 | do. ... | Lingiah ... ... | 1st Class. | |

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**No. 344.**—General Officers commanding Districts are requested to assemble invaliding medical boards in accordance with Section XVII, Army Regulations, India, Volume VI, (Medical) at stations within their respective commands, occupied by British troops, to examine all men whom it is proposed to invalid. The Deputy Surgeon General of the District, or, in his absence, the medical officer doing his duty will sit as President.

2. The invalids of all Districts of the Madras Army will be despatched to Deolali *en route* to Bombay, under orders which will be issued in the Quarter Master General's Department.

Invalids whose state of health would make it hazardous or injurious to forward them to Deolali, should, in communication with the General Officer Commanding Bombay District, be sent to Bombay and attached to the Colaba Sanitarium, until required to embark, particular care being taken that none but real cases of sickness are so sent, and that in each case it is first ascertained from the General Officer Commanding Bombay District, that accommodation is available.

3. The instructions contained in the Regulations for the Discharge of British Soldiers serving in India are to be followed, so far as they apply to invalids, any subsidiary orders necessary in furtherance of the foregoing arrangements being issued by General Officers Commanding Districts.

4. At stations where any men of the corps marginally noted and under orders to embark this cold season from Bombay for England, are now serving, special invaliding medical boards will also be assembled, in communication with the Deputy Surgeon General of the District to ascertain what men belonging to these corps will require to be discharged from the service on their arrival at home. A list of these men, showing in separate columns such as may accompany the corps, and such as are unable to bear the rapid change to the winter climate of England, will be furnished to the Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Madras.

2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.
4th Battalion Rifle Brigade

5. Complete invalid and discharge documents will be made out in India for all men whose discharge on arrival at home is contemplated, those of men left behind (that is, who will not accompany the corps to England) being transmitted to the officer commanding the depôt or station, where the men may be quartered. The documents to be prepared for men left behind, whose discharge on arrival at home is not contemplated, will be those for an ordinary transfer to the depôt company, with the usual invalid documents complete.

6. A nominal roll of *all* men not embarked with the corps will be transmitted by the commanding officer to the Adjutant General, Ootacamund, shortly before sailing, the cause of detention being specified in each case. It will further be stated whether all necessary documents in the case of each man shewn in the roll have been transmitted to the proper authorities.

7. The Adjutant General of the Bombay Army will be requested under the orders of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief to cause any men of these corps, whose fitness for embarkation at the time intended may have become doubtful after departure from their stations, to appear before medical boards at Bombay, in view to their being detained till later in the season, when the period for arrival at home will be more suitable for men in a weakly state of health. In the cases of all such men left behind, the instructions given in paragraph 5 will be observed.

8. Presidents of invaliding medical boards will communicate to the officer commanding the corps the decisions in the several cases brought before the boards for examination.

9. The particular attention of General Officers Commanding Districts, and of officers commanding batteries and corps is called to the instructions contained in paragraph 8 of the Regulations for the discharge of British soldiers serving in India, and to Quarter Master General's Circulars No. 2755-A of 2nd August 1888, and No. 969 of 2nd March 1889.

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**No. 345.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Poonamallee Depôt.*—Major A. P. Wodehouse, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Commandant, *vice* Major LeQuesne, 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, relieved at his own request.

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Surgeon A. J. O'Hara, Indian Medical Service, doing duty Madras District, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Surgeon J. J. Moran, M.D., Indian Medical Service, doing duty Belgaum and Bangalore Districts, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment.

*33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant R. P. Jackson, 2nd Battalion Warwickshire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 16th August 1889.

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**No. 346.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. E. Williams, wing officer, 31st Regiment Light Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

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**No. 347.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 31st July* 1889.

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It is notified for the information of Volunteer Corps, that the Government of India have arranged with Messrs. Cooper, Allen & Co., of Cawnpore, that they should supply volunteers with ammunition boots of the British Army pattern at the rate paid by the British soldier, *viz.*, Rs. 5-8 a pair.

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Paragraph 4 on page 457 of G. O. C. C.,† dated 24th August 1887, regarding the Company training of Native Infantry Regiments, is reconstructed as follows:

Every available officer, non-commissioned officer and man will be present with his company and will be relieved of all other duties while under instruction. The following will be exempted from going through the course:

(*a*) Soldiers of more than 17 years' service.

(*b*) Bandsmen.

(*c*) All non-commissioned officers and men who are exempted from going through an annual course of Musketry (see Regulations for Musketry Instruction).

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The undermentioned officers, specially examined, have been declared by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard in Hindustani, agreeably to section 24, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II:

3*rd June* 1889.

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Lieut. J. W. Ross ...South Lan. Regt., Probr., Madras S. C.

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2nd Lieut. A. J. N. Harward...21st Hussars, Probr., B. S. C.

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" F. H. Taylor ...Oxford L. I., Probr., B. S. C.

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† G.O.C. No. 457 of 1887, page 289.

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The undermentioned have been declared by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard in Hindustani, under the provisions of section 24, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, and India Army Circulars, Clause 129, of 1888, para. 6:

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8th *July* 1889.

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Lieut. W. Donnan ... 2nd Bn. Lincoln Regt.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 1st August* 1889.

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As the trooping season of 1889-90 is approaching, the attention of Commanding Officers is invited to the provisions of Art. 1176, Army Regulations, India, Vol. V, "Commissariat," requiring indents for articles of sea kits for troops and their families being submitted in ample time to ensure compliance.

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The attention of Commanding Officers is directed to Army Regulations, India, Volume XI, paras. 397 to 401 A. (as revised by clause 81, India Army Circulars, 1889), and the orders therein laid down will be strictly observed in filling up the Transfer Clothing Statements of soldiers going home.

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At the examinations in Russian held in India on the 8th July 1889, the undermentioned have been declared to have "*Passed*" in that language agreeably to Clause 191, India Army Circulars, 1888:

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Lieutenant E. Peach ... ... Madras Staff Corps.

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**No. 348.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite his name :—

*2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*—Lieutenant C. R. Heastey, from the 6th August to the 22nd October 1889, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Adjutant General's Department.*—Captain R. C. Andrews, Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant General for Musketry, 3rd District, privilege leave from 17th August 1889 or subsequent date of departure, till the 15th October 1889.

*District Staff.*—Colonel F. Smalley, General List Infantry, District Staff Officer, First Class, Madras District, general leave for one month, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, from the 1st September 1889 or subsequent date of departure. Shevaroy Hills. Private affairs.

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Lieutenant C. H. D. Lyon-Campbell, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant R. W. C. Keays, Probationer, Staff Corps, Officiating Wing Officer (on probation) 17th Regiment Madras Infantry, for 92 days, in extension of the leave granted him in G. O. C. No. 132 of 1889. India. Medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Erratum.*—In G.O.C. No. 330 of 1889, *for* "No. 732, Private M. L. Haynes," *read* "No. 732, Private M. L. Haymes."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*23rd August* 1889.

**No. 349.**—Statement showing the number of pupils attending in the Schools of the Native Army on the 31st December 1888, and the number of Certificates of Education in possession, and the number of Certificates of Education granted during the year.

| Regiment. | Number attending School. | | | | Number attending English School. | | | Certificates of Education granted since last Return. | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Adults. | Boys. | Girls. | Total. | Adults. | Boys. | Total. | No. of Candidates. | 1st Class. | 2nd Class. | 3rd Class. | 4th Class. | Total. |
| His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard... | 59 | 25 | ... | 84 | 20 | 4 | 24 | 45 | ... | ... | 12 | 16 | 28 |
| 1st Madras Lancers ... ... ... ... | 7 | 45 | ... | 52 | 3 | 22 | 25 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 2nd " " ... ... ... ... | 152 | 86 | ... | 238 | 53 | 40 | 93 | 72 | ... | 6 | 25 | 37 | 68 |
| 3rd Regiment Madras Light Cavalry ... | 62 | 98 | ... | 160 | 15 | 44 | 59 | 18 | ... | ... | 7 | 8 | 15 |
| 4th " " " ... | 130 | 68 | ... | 198 | 41 | 26 | 67 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners ... | 248 | 272 | 60 | 580 | 64 | 88 | 152 | 85 | ... | 9 | 30 | 30 | 69 |
| 1st Regiment Madras Pioneers ... .. | 25 | 166 | 35 | 226 | 12 | 52 | 64 | 48 | ... | ... | 20 | 21 | 41 |
| 2nd " Madras Infantry ... ... | 110 | 89 | 19 | 218 | 33 | 23 | 56 | 61 | ... | ... | 34 | 15 | 49 |
| 3rd " Madras Light Infantry ... | 187 | 103 | 30 | 320 | 36 | 31 | 67 | 101 | ... | 3 | 34 | 48 | 85 |
| 4th " Madras Pioneers ... ... | 226 | 94 | 29 | 349 | 36 | 40 | 76 | 66 | ... | 6 | 25 | 30 | 61 |
| 5th " Madras Infantry ... ... | 138 | 152 | 74 | 364 | 55 | 53 | 108 | 33 | ... | 6 | 14 | 7 | 27 |
| 6th " " ... ... | ... | 98 | 17 | 115 | ... | 30 | 30 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 7th " " ... ... | 132 | ... | ... | 132 | 27 | ... | 27 | 31 | ... | 3 | 5 | 15 | 23 |
| 8th " " ... ... | 173 | 53 | 37 | 263 | 39 | 27 | 66 | 19 | ... | ... | 5 | 9 | 14 |
| 9th " " ... ... | 108 | 117 | 20 | 245 | 35 | 40 | 75 | 75 | ... | 8 | 22 | 24 | 54 |
| 10th " " ... ... | 46 | 62 | 25 | 133 | 11 | 28 | 39 | 18 | ... | ... | 8 | ... | 8 |
| 11th " " ... ... | 171 | 126 | 51 | 348 | 72 | 57 | 129 | 63 | ... | 13 | 20 | 21 | 54 |
| 12th " " ... ... | 167 | 108 | 33 | 308 | 42 | 45 | 87 | 79 | ... | 8 | 21 | 33 | 62 |
| 13th " " ... ... | ... | 78 | 34 | 112 | ... | 23 | 23 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 14th " " ... ... | 102 | 78 | 27 | 207 | 39 | 29 | 68 | 46 | ... | ... | 24 | 14 | 38 |
| 15th " " ... ... | 130 | 71 | 32 | 233 | 30 | 30 | 60 | 15 | ... | ... | 12 | 3 | 15 |
| 16th " " ... ... | 24 | 109 | 22 | 155 | ... | 45 | 45 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 17th " " ... ... | 119 | 128 | 34 | 281 | 39 | 30 | 69 | 57 | ... | 4 | 32 | 4 | 40 |
| 19th " " ... ... | 211 | 83 | 17 | 311 | 72 | 33 | 105 | 45 | ... | 3 | 12 | 24 | 39 |
| 20th " " ... ... | 143 | 81 | 36 | 260 | 52 | 26 | 78 | 37 | ... | 7 | 20 | 10 | 37 |
| 21st " " ... ... | 273 | 132 | 39 | 444 | 52 | 59 | 111 | 97 | ... | 12 | 32 | 31 | 75 |
| 22nd " " ... ... | 71 | 111 | 35 | 217 | 31 | 40 | 71 | 40 | ... | 3 | 12 | 15 | 30 |
| 23rd " Light Infantry ... ... | 313 | 171 | 21 | 505 | 141 | 63 | 204 | 141 | ... | 15 | 33 | 48 | 96 |
| 24th " Madras Infantry ... ... | 107 | 127 | 35 | 269 | 42 | 44 | 86 | 63 | ... | 2 | 15 | 30 | 47 |
| 25th " " ... ... | 115 | 153 | 80 | 348 | 18 | 46 | 64 | 56 | ... | 4 | 10 | 11 | 25 |
| 26th " " ... ... | 144 | 143 | 59 | 346 | 37 | 16 | 53 | 52 | ... | 3 | 16 | 33 | 52 |
| 27th " " ... ... | ... | 46 | 11 | 57 | ... | 23 | 23 | 45 | ... | ... | 26 | ... | 26 |
| 28th " " ... ... | 64 | 108 | ... | 172 | 51 | 62 | 113 | 32 | ... | 1 | 9 | 13 | 23 |
| 29th " " ... ... | 181 | ... | .. | 181 | 43 | ... | 43 | 52 | ... | ... | ... | 42 | 42 |
| 30th " " ... ... | 50 | 53 | ... | 103 | 19 | 17 | 36 | 26 | ... | ... | 11 | 15 | 26 |
| 31st " Light Infantry ... ... | 107 | 69 | 21 | 197 | 22 | 30 | 52 | 55 | ... | 3 | 9 | 42 | 54 |
| 32nd " Madras Infantry ... ... | 66 | ... | ... | 66 | 21 | ... | 21 | 85 | ... | 3 | 21 | 15 | 39 |
| 33rd " " ... ... | 178 | 110 | 23 | 311 | 70 | 48 | 118 | 61 | ... | 2 | 14 | 15 | 31 |
| Total... | 4,539 | 3,613 | 956 | 9,108 | 1,373 | 1,314 | 2,687 | 1,819 | .. | 124 | 590 | 679 | 1,393 |

| Regiment. | Certificates of Education now in possession. 1st Class. | | | | 2nd Class. | | | | 3rd Class. | | | | 4th Class. | | | | | Percentage of Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, who hold Certificates of Education. | Percentage of Privates, who hold Certificates of Education. | Percentage of both Officers and Men, who hold Certificates of Education. | Order in which the regiments stand with reference to the percentage of Certificates in possession. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Native Officers. | Havildars. | Naigues. | Privates, Drummers, etc. | Native Officers. | Havildars. | Naigues. | Privates, Drummers, etc. | Native Officers. | Havildars. | Naigues. | Privates, Drummers, etc. | Native Officers. | Havildars. | Naigues. | Privates, Drummers, etc. | Total. | | | | |
| His Excellency the Governor's Body Guard... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 6 | ... | ... | 1 | 16 | 24 | 13·64 | 20·00 | 18·90 | 37 |
| 1st Madras Lancers | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 3 | 4 | ... | 14 | 5 | 8 | ... | 8 | 18 | 53 | 114 | 70·37 | 15·20 | 25·00 | 30 |
| 2nd " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 2 | 13 | ... | 11 | 13 | 57 | ... | 12 | 11 | 176 | 297 | 77·27 | 67·21 | 68·75 | 1 |
| 3rd Regiment Madras Light Cavalry | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 6 | 3 | 14 | 12 | 27 | ... | 2 | 13 | 132 | 212 | 78·81 | 39·83 | 47·75 | 4 |
| 4th " " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 26 | 11 | 30 | ... | ... | 14 | 96 | 195 | 100·00 | 39·42 | 51·45 | 3 |
| "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 9 | 10 | 21 | 59 | 4 | 10 | 19 | 115 | 1 | 5 | 34 | 163 | 453 | 81·00 | 24·91 | 33·04 | 17 |
| 1st Regiment Madras Pioneers | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 15 | 9 | 24 | ... | 5 | 18 | 58 | 142 | 61·47 | 97·81 | 17·59 | 38 |
| 2nd " Madras Infantry | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 21 | 24 | 66 | 9 | 14 | 9 | 126 | 292 | 95·87 | 25·00 | 35·35 | 13 |
| 3rd " Madras Light Infantry | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 5 | 9 | 6 | 8 | 20 | 57 | 4 | 21 | 14 | 139 | 285 | 93·16 | 26·54 | 35·67 | 12 |
| 4th " Madras Pioneers | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 | 9 | 13 | ... | 15 | 6 | 44 | 1 | 2 | 22 | 99 | 218 | 70·83 | 18·87 | 26·42 | 27 |
| 5th " Madras Infantry | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 16 | 4 | 19 | 19 | 61 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 110 | 241 | 64·23 | 23·44 | 29·61 | 21 |
| 6th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 5 | 5 | 15 | ... | 12 | 12 | 34 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 89 | 190 | 60·33 | 16·29 | 22·81 | 32 |
| 7th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 16 | 22 | 33 | 3 | 1 | 14 | 94 | 201 | 74·38 | 15·90 | 24·54 | 31 |
| 8th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 4 | 1 | 17 | 3 | 17 | 8 | 61 | 5 | 9 | 27 | 137 | 290 | 81·67 | 27·87 | 35·85 | 11 |
| 9th " " | ... | 1 | 2 | ... | ... | 4 | 4 | 27 | 4 | 22 | 20 | 58 | ... | ... | 10 | 96 | 248 | 75·83 | 23·72 | 31·71 | 18 |
| 10th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 7 | 5 | 11 | 3 | 14 | 13 | 69 | ... | 4 | 21 | 158 | 308 | 79·00 | 28·92 | 35·86 | 10 |
| 11th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 6 | 36 | 5 | 18 | 8 | 53 | 5 | 7 | 22 | 125 | 288 | 81·00 | 27·07 | 35·00 | 14 |
| 12th " " | ... | .. | ... | ... | 1 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 21 | 16 | 27 | 3 | 5 | 10 | 80 | 182 | 71·67 | 14·04 | 22·64 | 33 |
| 13th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 10 | 29 | ... | 10 | 22 | 87 | 182 | 69·17 | 14·02 | 22·03 | 34 |
| 14th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | ... | 4 | 4 | 20 | 10 | 37 | 3 | 11 | 21 | 151 | 264 | 78·00 | 28·55 | 35·87 | 9 |
| 15th " " | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 2 | 1 | 19 | 1 | 23 | 6 | 37 | 2 | 3 | 25 | 103 | 223 | 70·00 | 18·73 | 25·87 | 28 |
| 16th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 15 | 12 | 42 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 102 | 206 | 66·67 | 18·76 | 25·53 | 29 |
| 17th " " | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 1 | 7 | 17 | 4 | 22 | 13 | 60 | 2 | 7 | 16 | 124 | 277 | 81·00 | 25·14 | 33·25 | 16 |
| 19th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 24 | 14 | 26 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 79 | 179 | 66·94 | 13·63 | 21·31 | 36 |
| 20th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 3 | 14 | 5 | 12 | 17 | 38 | 1 | 2 | 17 | 118 | 230 | 64·46 | 21·32 | 27·58 | 25 |
| 21st " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 19 | 11 | 30 | ... | 10 | 23 | 146 | 254 | 82·50 | 20·83 | 29·40 | 23 |
| 22nd " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 2 | 18 | 5 | 40 | ... | 4 | 26 | 144 | 257 | 71·07 | 23·95 | 30·78 | 20 |
| 23rd " Light Infantry | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | 3 | 7 | 16 | 30 | 5 | 27 | 10 | 70 | 7 | 5 | 13 | 253 | 448 | 96·72 | 75·96 | 53·33 | 2 |
| 24th " Madras Infantry | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3 | 6 | 13 | 1 | 15 | 20 | 63 | ... | 14 | 23 | 192 | 352 | 93·44 | 32·73 | 42·51 | 6 |
| 25th " " | 1 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 9 | 6 | 14 | 5 | 21 | 11 | 30 | 1 | 1 | 17 | 107 | 224 | 78·69 | 18·05 | 26·96 | 26 |
| 26th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 5 | 9 | 20 | 5 | 24 | 11 | 37 | 2 | 7 | 18 | 137 | 277 | 87·50 | 25·52 | 34·88 | 15 |
| 27th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 14 | 15 | 49 | 1 | 16 | 21 | 115 | 250 | 82·05 | 19·79 | 28·10 | 24 |
| 28th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 4 | 16 | 2 | 20 | 25 | 54 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 114 | 245 | 69·42 | 22·45 | 29·47 | 22 |
| 29th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 12 | 12 | 3 | 17 | 10 | 41 | .. | 1 | 7 | 149 | 257 | 64·71 | 25·25 | 30·89 | 19 |
| 30th " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 10 | 22 | ... | 1 | 25 | 99 | 174 | 58·00 | 15·33 | 21·64 | 35 |
| 31st " Light Infantry | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 4 | 4 | 23 | 3 | 22 | 21 | 49 | ... | 3 | 12 | 159 | 301 | 78·15 | 29·34 | 36·35 | 8 |
| 32nd " Madras Infantry | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | 26 | 1 | 11 | 13 | 67 | ... | 1 | 13 | 163 | 299 | 55·83 | 33·10 | 36·42 | 7 |
| 33rd " " | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 2 | 4 | 31 | 2 | 22 | 15 | 63 | ... | ... | 14 | 224 | 378 | 69·42 | 40·83 | 44·95 | 5 |
| Total... | 3 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 42 | 133 | 182 | 543 | 99 | 643 | 496 | 1,714 | 60 | 201 | 614 | 4,713 | 9,457 | 74·06 | 28·30 | 32·50 | — |

Bangalore,
*25th June* 1889.

(Sd.) T. C. SHERWOOD, Captain,
*Superintendent of Army Schools.*

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*30th August* 1889.

**No. 350.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 2nd and 6th August 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 29th instant.

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**No. 351.**—It is notified that copies of G.O.C. No. 313 of 1889, pages 225 to 235, containing revised corrections to the Native Musketry Regulations, 1888, have been printed, and can be obtained from the Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, on payment.

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**No. 352.**—It is notified for general information that Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India has ruled, that when leave on private affairs is granted to any non-commissioned officer who would not be able to return to India *by a troopship* within the period of that leave, he should be given clearly to understand that he must return to India at his own expense.

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(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 353.**—It is notified for general information that through communication now exists over the Southern Mahratta Railway, between Bangalore and Poona.

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**No. 354.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Captain P. de S. Burney, promoted to that rank from the Seconded List, has been posted to the 79th Field Battery Royal Artillery (late M/2 Brigade).

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 355.**—The following instructions will be attended to by despatching officers, &c., in carrying out the movements of time-expired details, &c., under orders to proceed to England by troopship during the season 1889-90. The allotments for the several troopships will be notified to all concerned by the Quarter Master General:—

I. The troops and details should be despatched as follows:—

(*a*) Invalids and time-expired details, ignominies, military convicts, and other details so as to reach Deolali ten days prior to the date fixed for their embarkation at Bombay.

(*b*) Insanes as per para. 8 of the Regulations for the discharge of British soldiers serving in India. *Vide* also para. 9 of G. O. C. No. 344 of 23rd August 1889.

(*c*) Warrant officers, departmental non-commissioned officers and their families who have been allotted passages, should proceed to Bombay in time to embark on the dates specified.

(*d*) In the case of men proceeding to join the Depôt at home, or of any men for whose transfer to the Home Establishment, the special sanction of Horse Guards or any other authority may be requisite, it must be distinctly understood that Regimental or Battery authorities are responsible that such men are not despatched from their Corps for embarkation, until the requisite authority for their transfer to the Home Establishment has been received.

II. Despatching officers will arrange accordingly, and report arrangements proposed to be made for the movement of the troops and details to the Quarter Master General's Office, Ootacamund, some time previously.

III. The details from Cannanore should be despatched by sea from Cannanore to Bombay, so as to arrive at Deolali, in each case, ten clear days before embarkation.

IV. The details from Burma should be sent to Madras for despatch thence under arrangements to be made by the Brigadier-General Commanding Madras District so as to arrive at Deolali, &c., as above directed.

V. Timely notice of all movements must be given by the General Officer Commanding the district from which the troops proceed to the General Officer Commanding the district through which they will pass *en route*, in view to the necessary arrangements being made for their reception and onward progress, as well as to the General Officer Commanding Bombay District, &c., at destination.

VI. It having been frequently represented that much inconvenience is caused by troops taking with them to Bombay, a large amount of baggage in excess of that allowed by regulations and of unauthorized dimensions, the Commander-in-Chief desires that General Officers will call the special attention of officers proceeding in command of troops to the Regulations on the subject.

Section X, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part I.

VII. In view to obviating the inconvenience experienced by widows, women unaccompanied by their husbands, and orphan children, on arrival at Portsmouth, owing to their baggage being placed in the wrong railway trucks, "red star" paper labels for their boxes will be provided at Deolali and Bombay. On disembarkation, all boxes, &c., labelled with the "red star" will be collected in one place and subsequently distributed to the owners.

VIII. As a considerable amount of correspondence frequently arises after disembarkation relative to men's kit bags reported missing after the men have arrived at their destination, owing to a certain proportion of the troops being on duty on board up to the hour of parading for departure, and consequently unable to see that their kit bags are placed in the proper vans or wagons, printed labels for the kit bags of invalids, time-expired men and other details and the boxes of their families will be provided at Deolali, lettered "Chatham," "Woolwich," "Netley," "Gosport," according to the destination of the men. The labels will bear the names of the above places in large distinct letters and will be carefully and securely fixed.

IX. Returns and nominal rolls of time-expired men, invalids, &c., *actually* to proceed from each Disirict to Deolali, &c., should be sent to the Quarter Master General's Office, Ootacamund, as soon as possible, copies of the same being furnished to the Brigadier-General Commanding Bombay District. Also, immediately after troops and details have been despatched to Deolali, &c., a return in amended Form B-142, published at page 79 of Madras Standing Order of 20th August 1886, should be furnished

by the General Officer Commanding the district concerned, to the General Officer Commanding Bombay District, giving the numbers, &c., so despatched.

X. In regard to Officers entitled to passage for themselves and families, attention is invited to para. 169, Army Regulations, India, Vol. X, Part I.

XI. Second class Warrant Officers requiring passage to England during the ensuing season, in excess of the number for whom second class accommodation exists on board the troopships, will be provided with staff sergeants' accommodation for themselves and their families, and messed at the Warrant Officers' table.

XII. Officers to proceed in charge of the details will be detailed under the orders of the General Officers concerned from officers detailed for duty with their regimental depôts, &c.

XIII. Instances having occurred, of insanes arriving at Bombay with documents incomplete, thereby necessitating their detention at that port, the attention of Officers Commanding British Corps and Batteries is invited to para. 1026, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the provisions of which should be strictly complied with.

XIV. Attention is invited to Section VI, para. 508, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, requiring all prisoners to be sent home in sufficient time to enable them to reach England before their sentences of imprisonment expire and when possible it should be arranged that prisoners are embarked so as to arrive in England at least a fortnight before their imprisonment expires. The dates on which the sentences of prisoners expire must be carefully considered in the Staff Offices of Districts, priority of passage being given to those prisoners whose sentences expire earliest

XV. Attention is invited to G.O.C. No. 56 of 1887 and para. XV of G.O.C. No. 367 of 1888, requiring General Officers Commanding Districts when forwarding to the Quarter Master General, Ootacamund, applications for passages home for the wives and children of warrant and non-commissioned officers and soldiers serving with their Corps or on the Unattached List to transmit therewith copies (in duplicate) of the Proceedings of Medical Boards, recommending their being sent home either with or without their husbands as the case may be.

**No. 356.**—Under instructions from Army Head Quarters in India, Lieutenant-Colonel V. C. Fisher, Royal Artillery, will do duty with the Royal Artillery, Bangalore District, as a temporary measure, on his services being replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, pending the orders of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his disposal.

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**No. 357.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the following officers are detailed for duty with their regimental depôts, and under such arrangements as General Officers Commanding may direct, those now in India will proceed to England during the ensuing trooping season, doing duty with troops on the voyage.

2. In order to give effect to the orders of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, that the depôt reliefs should be so arranged that as far as possible the officers intended for the depôt, and those for the service troops or companies should cross one another *en route*, the Commander-in-Chief desires to draw *particular attention to the instructions contained* in para. 2137, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, "Discipline."

| Regiment. | Officers selected. | In relief of | Completed Tour. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 21st Hussars ... | Lieut. D. Bowly ... | Lieut. J. R. Ewing ... | 22nd Nov. 1889. |
| 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment. | „ C. H. Renwick* | „ J. Marriott ... | 14th July 1889. |
| 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment. | Captain E. R. Scott ... | Captain C. H. Hunt ... | 11th April 1890. |
| 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. | Lieut. H. M. M. Thompson. | Lieut. F. W. H. Sherwin | 17th Mar. 1890. |
| 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | Lieut. R. C. E. Marriott | „ F. H. Chapman | 10th June 1889. |
| 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | „ E. D. White ... | „ D. J. Barton ... | 7th Dec. 1889. |

* To be sent home late in the season.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 358.**—*Volunteers—Returns.*—As Monthly returns of the strength of Volunteer Corps are frequently sent to the Government of India, although the rule requiring that this should be done has been cancelled, attention is invited to para. 489,* Army Regulations, India, Volume IX, and S.G.O. Nos. 50 of 1888 and 9 of 1889, and it is requested that the submission of these Returns to the Government of India may be discontinued.

* Modified by clause 202, India Army Circulars of 1886.

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**No. 359.**—Sapper, No. 2402, Cruize of the "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners at present on the Unattached List and employed as a Sub-Overseer on the Villupuram-Dharmavaram Line, South Indian Railway, is remanded to Military duty and attached to the 4th Regiment Madras Infantry Pioneers, in view to his discharge to pension being carried out in the usual way.

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**No. 360.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*7th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant R. J. T. Savi,* officiating wing officer (on probation), 31st Regiment Light Infantry, at present attached to the 10th Regiment Madras Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity.

Lieutenant C. H. Williams,* wing officer (on probation), 25th Regiment Madras Infantry, and attached 27th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment.

*13th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. W. Heffernan, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment, to be officiating wing officer and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 10th August 1889.

*19th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. W. Heffernan,* officiating wing officer (on probation), 13th Regiment Madras Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity.

*27th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant F. G. H. Sutton,* officiating wing officer (on probation), 2nd Regiment Madras Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity.

* To travel on duty at the public expense, under para. 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

**No. 361.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*19th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant S. L. Aplin, wing officer, 25th Regiment Madras Infantry, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Commander-in-Chief by G. O. G. No. 435 of 1889, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

*Medical Staff.*—Brigade Surgeon E. C. Markey, on arrival from England, to be Senior Medical Officer, South Station Hospital, Secunderabad.

Surgeon Major N. B. Major, Senior Medical Officer of the South Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to be Senior Medical Officer of the Central Station Hospital, Secunderabad.

Surgeon Major W. B. Slaughter, Senior Medical Officer of the Central Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty Secunderabad.

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**No. 362.**—The following extract from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, is republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla,* 31*st July* 1889.

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It is notified that the Government of India has sanctioned batteries of Royal Artillery making their own arrangements for the supply of helmets with appurtenances, and to money compensation at the authorized rate being drawn in lieu.

Military Department letter No. 2223-D, dated the 29th May 1889.

The sanction has effect from the 1st April 1890, the claim for the supply of helmets due on that and subsequent dates having been surrendered by the Contractors.

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By Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*6th September* 1889.

**No. 363.**—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, accompanied by his Military Secretary and an Aide-de-Camp, will proceed on a tour of inspection to Bangalore leaving Ootacamund on the 16th instant and returning to Head Quarters on the 26th idem.

2. All correspondence will as usual be addressed to Ootacamund.

**No. 364.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 9th and 13th August 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 5th instant.

**No. 365.**—G.O.C. No. 130, page 357 of 1871, is cancelled.

**No. 366.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that the undermentioned Second Lieutenants recently commissioned from the Royal Military Academy, have been posted to the batteries stated against their names, and will be sent out to India during the ensuing trooping season:—

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| E. C. Harrington | ...38th Field Battery Royal Artillery (late Q Battery 1st Brigade). |
| R. S. Pottinger | ...61st Field Battery Royal Artillery (late R Battery 1st Brigade). |
| D. F. Tulloch | ...No. 20 Battery Southern Division Royal Artillery (late No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade Lancashire Division). |
| R. S. deWinton | ...19th Field Battery Royal Artillery (late P Battery 1st Brigade). |

**No. 367.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Captain F. A. Bligh, just promoted to that rank from "A" Battery Royal Horse Artillery (late A Battery A Brigade), has been posted to No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division), *vice* Captain A. L. Molesworth, seconded on appointment as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Artillery.

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**No. 368.**—It has come to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief, that in several instances, the sums paid by wing and squadron commanders out of their contract allowance for the maintenance and repair of canvas targets, have exceeded that which they were formerly called upon to pay under paras. 389 and 392, Native Musketry Regulations, and as it is not intended that officers shall be put to any additional expense of this nature, His Excellency has decided that the sums as per margin should be recovered annually from the contract allowance sanctioned under para. 85 (clauses *d* and *h*), Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, and placed to the credit of the regimental lead and cartridge case funds and that squadron and wing commanders shall in future be absolved from all further responsibility in regard to the repair of appliances and the provision of paper bulls-eyes, figures, &c., for the canvas target system, after the payment of the aforesaid amounts.

Madras Cavalry ...Rs. 108.
" Infantry ... " 120.

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**No. 369.**—Under instructions from Army Head Quarters in India, 2nd Lieutenant W. H Jones, No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division) is directed to proceed, without delay, from Fort St. George to Darjeeling for duty with No. 3 Mountain Battery Royal Artillery (late No. 9 (Mountain) Battery 1st Brigade Northern Division).

Under para. 513 (*k*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 370.**—The appointment of Captain J. S. G. Manera, to be wing commander, 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, notified in G. O. C. No. 128 of 1889, will have effect from the 25th February 1889.

**No. 371.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*19th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant W. Donnan, 2nd Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 12th August 1889.

*21st Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant B. Scott, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be officiating wing officer, and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 26th August 1889.

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**No. 372.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*District Staff.*—Brigadier-General G. Rowlandson, Staff Corps, who has been brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment as a District Commander, 2nd Class, in G.O.G. No. 425 of 1889, to the command of the Rangoon District.

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**No. 373.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla,* 12*th August* 1889.

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The following War Office Army Order, dated the 1st January 1889, is republished for information and guidance :

" *A. O.* 16.—*Instructions for Fitting Valise Equipment* (1882 *Pattern*).

" The Instructions for Fitting Valise Equipment (1882 Pattern) have been revised, and will be issued to all concerned."

2. Copies will be distributed accordingly.

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The undermentioned passed the Lower Standard in Hindustani on 1st July 1889 :

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2nd Lieut. R. P. Jackson ... 2nd Battalion Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 16th August* 1889.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

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*38th Bengal Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant E. G. Vaughan, Bedfordshire Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated 26th July 1889.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 20th August* 1889.

Attention is invited to the following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st June 1889 :

A. O. 260.—Corrections to the Home Dress Regulations.

2. Books to be corrected accordingly.

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With reference to G. O. C. C.† of the 10th July 1889, the following rules are to be observed by officers superintending rapid firing practices :

1. The time is invariably to be taken by the Officer superintending the practice and a watch denoting seconds is to be used for this purpose.

2. The time is to be counted from the first command "ready."

3. All preliminary cautions having been given, the superintending officer will drop his hand, or make some other preconcerted signal, whereupon the section commander will give the word "ready" and proceed with the practice.

4. At the time when the first command "ready" is given the men are to be standing at the "order" in either two ranks or rank entire, with unloaded arms and sights unadjusted.

5. Loading must be from the pouch, which may have been previously opened.

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† G.O.C. No. 313 of 1889, pages 225 to 235.

6. The superintending officer should observe the utmost strictness in the calculation of the allotted time, and on its expiration he shall instantly give a signal to cease firing.

In case of a shot being fired after the signal to stop has been given, as many points must be deducted from the score as there are men in the squad.

With reference to page 295† of the G. O. C. C. above referred to, cavalry men who have failed to obtain 50 points (snider 35) in the 1st period (individual) will fire their rounds of blank in the 2nd period (collective) concurrently with those of their sections who are firing ball.

The percentage of the sections will however be taken, not on the number of rounds originally allotted for the full strength of the section, but on the number of rounds allowed for those actually firing ball cartridge.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments:

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19*th Punjab Infantry.*—Lieutenant G. A. Dale, Bedfordshire Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be officiating Wing Officer, on probation. Dated 30th July 1889.

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*Erratum.*—In G. O. C. C.,‡ dated 10th July 1889, page 292, lines 38 and 39, *for* "being passed for each *trained soldier* exercised *through* the annual course of individual firing," *read* "being passed for each man (including trained recruits) exercised *through* the annual course of individual firing."

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In order to make proper provision for the health and rationing of the non-commissioned officers and men granted furloughs out of the district to which they belong for the purpose of shooting, furloughs for this purpose will, in future, only be granted to

† Page 230. ‡ G.O.C. No. 313 of 1889, page 227, lines 13 and 14.

military stations, and all men on furlough will be attached under the orders of the Officer Commanding the station to a corps. The men will not be placed on duty, and will be allowed unrestricted furlough, but the duration of the shooting passes will be limited to 14 days at a time, and will be granted by the Officer Commanding the corps to which they are attached.

Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, will, in due course, be altered accordingly as follows:

*Paragraph* 751.—*Add* the following paragraphs:

751-*A*.—"Shooting passes to non-commissioned officers and men are not to be given for more than 14 days at a time. They may be given by Officers Commanding the Corps to which the men belong, or in the case of the men having proceeded out of the district, by the Officer Commanding the Corps to which they may be attached for the time being (*vide* paragraph 1685-A)."

751-*B*.—"Officers granting shooting passes will take care that all rules in force regarding the close season of the district concerned are explained to the men who must be cautioned not to infringe them."

751-*C*.—"In order to avoid giving men passes to proceed to districts where any sickness may be prevalent at the time, or other impediments may interfere with the grant of shooting passes, due notice of the intention to grant the furloughs for the purpose of shooting, under para. 1685-A, will be made to the Officer Commanding the station concerned."

*Para*. 1685-*A*.—"Furlough under the preceding paragraph when for the purpose of shooting will be granted only to military stations at which the men can be attached for rations and quarters to a corps or detachment stationed there."

*Para*. 1685-*B*.—"Soldiers on furlough will report themselves at once to the Station Staff Officer on arrival at destination, and will be attached to some corps at the station."

2. The clause added to para. 750, Army Regulations, India, Vol II, by G.O. 22* of 1889, will also be revised as follows:

"When shooting passes extending over three days are granted to non-commissioned officers or men, the Commanding Officer will send to the Magistrate of the district, or in the case of

*S.G.O. No. 30 of 1889, page 68.

soldiers obtaining passes to districts other than that in which the regiment they belong to is quartered for the time being, then to the Magistrate of the district to which the men are about to proceed, a notice stating the *rank* and *names* of the party, and as nearly as possible the part of the district to which they are going. Care should be taken that passes are only given for localities where shooting can properly be pursued."

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments:

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*10th Bengal Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant W. R. Brakspear, Norfolk Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated 27th July 1889.

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Lieutenant G. A. Weldon, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, attached to the 19th Madras Infantry, having been permitted to resign his probationary appointment in the Madras Staff Corps, is posted to the 2nd Battalion Royal Dublin Fusiliers, pending orders from His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief as to his disposal.

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**No. 374.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, pending the arrival of the Battalion in England :—

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Captain Hon'ble F. M. St. Aubyn, Lieutenant Hon'ble H. Yarde-Buller, and Lieutenant W. N. Congreve.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Staff Corps.*—Colonel A. Bredin, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry, general leave from the 1st to the 9th October 1889 both days inclusive under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. Bombay. Private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain O. Mayne, to England, for 180 days, on medical certificate.

*Medical Staff*—Surgeon F. T. Skerrett, to England, for 6 months, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
13*th* *September* 1889.

**No. 375.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 16th and 20th August 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 12th instant.

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**No. 376.**—In G. O. C. No. 317 of 1889, page 239, after the name Surgeon Major A. Lewer, insert Surgeon Major A. Minto, M.B , as one of the tour expired officers of the Medical Staff.

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**No. 377.**—So much of G.O.C. No. 345 of 1889, as refers to Surgeon A. J. O'Hara, is cancelled.

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**No. 378.**—Referring to G.O.C. No. 32, dated 18th January 1889, it is notified that intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Lieutenant S. E. G. Lawless, N Battery Royal Horse Artillery (late H/B Brigade) has been allowed to remain on leave in England, pending his promotion to the rank of Captain being gazetted.

**No. 379.**—Lieutenant A. W. Newbold, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry, will proceed to Bangalore for the purpose of being examined in the professional examination for the Staff Corps, under para. 107-A, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, Part I. On duty at the public expense, under para. 513 (*h*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 380.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani:—

*Secunderabad, 7th January* 1889.

Rev. J. Dobie, M.A., B.D., Assistant Chaplain, Church of Scotland.

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**No. 381.**—The Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to make the following appointment on His Excellency's Personal Staff:—

Captain L. Forde, 9th Field Battery Royal Artillery (late A/1st Brigade), to be Aide-de-Camp, *vice* Captain Russell deceased. Dated 30th August 1889.

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**No. 382.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment:—

*1st Madras Lancers.*—2nd Lieutenant R. De L. Faunce, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be officiating squadron officer and with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 27th August 1889.

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**No. 383.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings:—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon J. S. Green, M.B., doing duty Station Hospital, Bellary, Surgeon W. L. Gray, M.B., doing duty Station Hospital, Toungoo, and Surgeon B. J. Inniss, doing duty Secunderabad District, to report themselves to the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Myingyan and Mandalay Districts for orders. To travel at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

**No. 384.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 12th August* 1889.

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The following programme of movements of Her Majesty's Indian Troopships during the season of 1888-89 is published for general information :

| Outward *viâ* the Suez Canal. | | Homeward *viâ* the Suez Canal. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| In what Ship, and date of arrival at Bombay. | Corps, &c. | In what Ship, and date of departure from Bombay. | Corps, &c. |
| 1889. | | 1889. | |
| 1st Ship—1st October ... | Drafts and Detachment 18th Hussars. | 1st Ship—12th October ... | O, E, D and G Batteries Royal Horse Artillery (late D, E, F and G Batteries A Brigade Royal Horse Artillery respectively). |
| 2nd Ship—17th October ... | Drafts. | 2nd Ship—26th October ... | 8th Hussars. |
| 3rd Ship—29th October ... | A, B, C and H Batteries Royal Horse Artillery (late A, B, C and H Batteries A Brigade Royal Horse Artillery respectively) and drafts. | 3rd Ship—9th November | Time expired men, &c. |

| Outward *viâ* the Suez Canal. | | Homeward *viâ* the Suez Canal. | |
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| In what Ship, and date of arrival at Bombay. | Corps, &c. | In what Ship, and date of departure from Bombay. | Corps, &c. |
| 1889. | | 1889. | |
| 4th Ship—12th November | No. 11 Battery Southern Division (late No. 2 Battery 1st Brigade, Northern Dn., R. A.) No. 21 Battery Southern Division (late No. 6 Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Dn., R. A.) No. 18 Battery Southern Division (late No. 1 Battery 1st Brigade North Irish Dn., R. A.) and Drafts (from Malta). | 4th Ship—23rd November | Nos. 15, 31 and 34 Batteries Southern Division (late Nos. 5, 6 and 7 Batteries 1st Brigade, Southern Dn., R. A., respectively). 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment (to Aden). 1st Battalion West Riding Regiment (from Aden). |
| 5th Ship—17th December | 18th Hussars and Drafts. | 5th Ship—28th December | 4th Rattalion Rifle Brigade. |
| 1890. | | 1890. | |
| 6th Ship—2nd January ... | Drafts. | 6th Ship—11th January | Time expired men, &c. |
| 7th Ship—14th January ... | 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers (from Egypt.) | 7th Ship—25th January | 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment. |
| 8th Ship—28th January ... | 2nd Prince of Wales' Yorkshire Regiment. | 8th Ship—8th February | Time expired men, &c. |
| 9th Ship—4th March ... | 2nd Battalion Border Regiment (from Malta.) | 9th Ship—15th March ... | Ditto. |
| 10th Ship—20th March ... | Drafts. | 10th Ship—29th March... | Ditto. |
| 11th Ship—1st April ... | Drafts. | 11th Ship—12th April ... | Ditto. |

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 27th August* 1889.

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In inviting the attention of Officers Commanding British Cavalry Regiments to Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, para. 1371 *et seq.*, and Queen's Regulations, section X., para. 26 (as revised by Horse Guards' G.O. 86 of 1887), the Commander-in-Chief directs that every soldier be put through an annual course of single stick practice, dismounted.

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General Officers Commanding will, in submitting India Army Form 75, "Return of Officers desirous of joining a course of Garrison Instruction," be good enough to cause a column to be added to the form, in which is to be stated whether each officer has complied with para. 57, section IX., Queen's Regulations.

2. A revised form will be issued hereafter.

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*Army Pay Department.*—With reference to G.O.C.C.,† dated 25th July 1889, page 319, Major J. C. T. Humfrey, Paymaster, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, will remain with that Battalion until the arrival of the 1st King's Dragoon Guards at Muttra, when he will join the latter regiment.

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In continuation of G.O.C C.,‡ dated 31st July 1889, page 326, it is notified that the undermentioned also passed the Higher Standard in Hindustani on the 1st July 1889:

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| 2nd Lieutenant F. W. Lethbridge ... | East Kent Regiment, probationer Madras Staff Corps. |

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:

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*1st Punjab Infantry.*—Lieutenant J. W. Ross, to remain in the Hills, on medical certificate, from the 18th August to the 15th October 1889, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps, in extension of the six months' language leave granted him in G. O. C. C., dated 19th February 1889, page 66.

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† G.O.C. No. 339 of 1889, page 251. ‡ G.O.C. No. 347 of 1889, page 258.

**No. 385.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain A. J. H. Luard, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*4th Battalion The Rifle Brigade.*—Captain Charles áCourt, to England, on private affairs, pending the return to that country of his battalion.

*Worcestershire Regiment.*—2nd Lieutenant H. P. Bell, Probationer, Staff Corps, officiating wing officer (on probation), 11th Regiment Madras Infantry, for 90 days, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C. No. 279 of 1889. India. Medical certificate.

By Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Corrigendum.*—In G. O. C. No. 363 of 1889, line 2, *dele* the words "his Military Secretary and."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*20th September* 1889.

**No. 386.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 23rd and 27th August 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 19th instant.

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**No. 387.**—It is notified for information and guidance that the Government of India* has approved of the annual returns of equipment in possession of British Corps, required by para. 274, Army Regulations, India, Volume III, being furnished on the following forms :—

* Military Department letter No. 1636-D, dated 27th April 1889.

1 O. Form 298 for Infantry.
1 O. Form 298-A for Cavalry.
1 O. Form 298-B for Horse and Field Artillery.
1 O. Form 298-C for Garrison Artillery and Mountain Batteries.

2. Officers Commanding will accordingly submit the returns annually in *triplicate* on the new forms commencing from the 1st April 1890.

3. Each Corps and Battery should indent annually on the Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, for 4 copies of the form required.

**No. 388.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 317 of 1889, the undermentioned officers of the Medical Staff, will proceed to England by the Troopships leaving Bombay on or about the dates specified against their names and report their arrival to the Director General, Medical Staff, War Office, London.

2. They will proceed to Deolalee and report themselves to the Senior Medical Officer there not later than 3 days before the dates set opposite their names for duty on Boardship. At the public expense, under clause (*d*), para. 512, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II, Passages—Inland:—

| Rank. | Name. | In what ship. | Date of sailing from Bombay. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Surgeon ... | P. J. Nealon, M.D. | 1st Troopship | 12th October 1889. |
| Surgeon Major | J. Fraser, M.D. ... | 3rd Troopship | 9th November 1889. |
| Surgeon ... | J. Riordan, M.B. ... | 3rd Troopship | 9th November 1889. |
| Surgeon ... | A. E. Tate ... | 4th Troopship | 23rd November 1889. |
| Surgeon Major | A. Lewer, ... | 8th Troopship | 8th February 1890. |
| Surgeon ... | J. Anderson, M.B. | 8th Troopship | 8th February 1890. |
| Surgeon ... | T. R. Morse ... | 9th Troopship | 15th March 1890. |
| Surgeon Major | W. J. S. Campbell | 10th Troopship | 29th March 1890. |
| Surgeon Major | A. Minto, M.B. ... | 11th Troopship | 12th April 1890. |

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**No. 389.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Lieutenant M. M. Noble, No. 3 Mountain Battery Royal Artillery (late No. 9 Battery 1st Brigade Northern Division), has been posted to No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division) in succession to Lieutenant H. W. Jones, who has been appointed to the former battery.

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**No. 390.**—The General Court Martial ordered in G. O. C. No. 280 of 11th July last, and of which Colonel J. E. Wetherall, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, was President, is dissolved.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 391.**—With the sanction of Government, the following movements, in Relief of British and Native Troops, will take place during the Trooping Season, 1889-90 :—

Dates of movements, &c., will be intimated separately.

| Corps, &c. | From | To | How to move. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Royal Artillery.* | | | |
| M Battery Royal Horse Artillery (late G Battery B Brigade). | Mhow (Bombay Presidency). | Secunderabad ... | By route march with horses and guns. |
| N Battery Royal Horse Artillery (late H Battery B Brigade). | Secunderabad ... | Mhow (Bombay Presidency. | By route march with horses and guns. |
| 61st Field Battery (late R Battery 1st Brigade). | Belgaum ... ... | Bangalore ... ... | By route march with horses and guns. |
| 76th Field Battery (late S Battery 1st Brigade). | Bellary ... ... | Belgaum ... ... | By route march with horses and guns. |
| 21st Field Battery (late I Battery 4th Brigade). | Bangalore ... ... | Bellary ... ... | By route march with horses and guns. |
| No. 20 Battery Southern Division (late No. 4 Battery 1st Brigade Lancashire Division). | Rangoon ... ... | Fort William (Bengal Presidency). | By sea. |
| „ 9 Battery Southern Division (late No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade Scottish Division). | Delhi (Bengal Presidency) | Rangoon ... ... | By rail and sea. |
| „ 21 Battery Eastern Division (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade Cinque Ports Division). | Mandalay, &c. ... | Fort St. George ... | By rail and sea. |
| „ 1 Battery Eastern Division (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division). | Fort St. George ... | Mandalay, &c. ... | By sea and rail. |

| Corps, &c. | From | To | How to move. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *British Infantry.* | | | |
| 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment ... | Mandalay ... ... | England ... ... | By rail and sea. |
| 2nd do. Leicestershire do. ... | Thayetmyo and Myingyan | Aden ... ... | By river, &c., and sea. |
| 4th do. Rifle Brigade ... | Toungoo and Meiktila ... | England ... ... | By rail and sea. |
| 2nd do. Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | Bangalore ... ... | Burma ... ... | Do. |
| 1st Battalion Border Regiment ... | Sialkot and Amritsar (Bengal Presidency). | Mandalay ... ... | By rail, sea and rail. |
| 1st do. King's Own Scottish Borderers. | Meerut (Bengal Presidency). | Burma ... ... | By rail, sea, rail, &c, |
| 2nd Battalion (P.W.O.) Yorkshire Regiment. | England ... ... | Bangalore ... ... | By rail from Bombay. |
| *Native Cavalry.* | | | |
| 1st Madras Lancers ... ... | Bangalore ... ... | Secunderabad ... | By route march with horses. |
| 3rd do. Cavalry ... ... | Secunderabad ... | Bangalore ... ... | |
| *"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.* | | | |
| No. 2 Company ... ... | Mandalay, &c. ... | Bangalore ... ... | By rail, sea and rail. |
| „ 3 do. ... ... | Bangalore ... ... | Secunderabad ... | By rail. |
| „ 6 do. ... ... | Secunderabad ... | Upper Burma ... | By rail, sea, rail, &c. |
| *Madras Infantry.* | | | |
| 1st Regiment (Pioneers) ... ... | Bangalore ... ... | Trichinopoly ... | By route march. |

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|---|---|---|---|
| 4th do. ( do. )... ... | Trichinopoly ... | Bangalore ... ... | By route march. |
| 2nd do. ... ... ... | Secunderabad ... | Pokoko, &c. (Upper Burma). | By rail, sea, rail, &c. |
| 7th do. ... ... ... | Toungoo and Rangoon ... | Mangalore ... ... | By rail and sea. |
| 10th do. ... ... ... | Upper Burma ... | Secunderabad ... | By river or rail, sea and rail. |
| 11th do.* ... ... ... | Cannanore ... ... | Upper Burma ... | By sea, rail, &c. |
| 12th do. ... ... ... | Bangalore ... ... | Quilon, &c. ... ... | By route march and backwater. |
| 13th do.* ... ... ... | Meiktila ... ... | India ... ... | By rail, sea, &c. |
| 15th do. ... ... ... | Upper Burma ... | Bellary ... ... | By river or rail, sea and rail. |
| 20th do. ... ... ... | Bellary ... ... | Mandalay (Upper Burma) | By rail, sea, and rail. |
| 22nd do. ... ... ... | Quilon, &c. ... ... | Meiktila (Burma) ... | By sea, &c., and rail. |
| 23rd do. (Wing) ... ... | Hoshangabad ... | Belgaum ... ... | By route march. |
| 24th do. ... ... ... | Berhampore and Sambulpur. | Lower Burma ... | By route march and sea. |
| 27th do. ... ... ... | Shwebo ... ... | Berhampur and Sambulpur. | By rail, &c., sea, and route march. |
| 29th do.* ... ... ... | Thayetmyo ... ... | India ... ... | By rail, &c., sea, &c. |
| 31st do. ... ... ... | Mangalore ... ... | Toungoo and Rangoon ... | By sea and rail. |

* The destinations of these Battalions will be notified hereafter.

**No. 392.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Burmese according to the test specified opposite their names :—

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|---|---|
| *Toungoo, 29th February* 1889. | |
| Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. D. Bayley, General List Infantry. | Lower Standard. |
| *Kindat, 4th June* 1889. | |
| Surgeon B. K. Basu, M.D., Indian Medical Service (Bengal). | Lower Standard. |
| *Mandalay, 6th August* 1889. | |
| Captain W. F. Percy, 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment. | Elementary Standard. |
| Lieutenant E. W. M. Norie, Middlesex Regiment... | Elementary Standard. |
| Jemadar Francis, Burma Sappers and Miners ... | Elementary Standard. |

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**No. 393.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names :—

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| *Mominabad, 17th August* 1889. | |
| Lieutenant F. J. Nelson, Staff Corps ... ... | Lower Standard. |
| *Madras, 2nd and 3rd September* 1889. | |
| Lieutenant A. L. Gallie, Staff Corps ... ... | Lower Standard. |
| Private No. 1322, M. Ainslie, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | Lower Standard. |
| 2nd Lieutenant C. Barnett, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Probationer, Staff Corps. | Higher Standard. |

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**No. 394.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

"*Queen's Own*" *Sappers and Miners.*—Captain H. G. C. Swayne, Royal Engineers, company officer, to be company commander, *vice* Major Cockburn, who vacates on promotion to that rank. Dated 20th July 1889.

Lieutenant G. M. Hutton, Royal Engineers, officiating company officer, to be company officer, *vice* Captain Swayne appointed company commander.

**No. 395.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Major F. C. Maltby and 2nd Lieutenant G. M. Morris, 16th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

Lieutenant A. R. Denne, wing officer, 2nd Regiment Madras Infantry and at present doing duty with the 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, is directed to rejoin his own regiment on its arrival at Rangoon.

Surgeon R. Ross, now in Madras, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment.

*19th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain J. F. Wilson, wing commander, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, to officiate as wing commander, *vice* Captain Haughton invalided, or until further orders. To travel expeditiously on duty at the public expense, under para. 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon J. J. Moran, officiating, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, Surgeon A. J. O'Hara, doing duty Madras District, and Surgeon T. W. Stewart, doing duty Burma District, to report themselves to the Deputy Surgeon General, Her Majesty's Forces, Myingyan and Mandalay Districts for orders, travelling on duty at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 396.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 20th August* 1889.

Army Form A 27, (Morning State of Sick) has been introduced in supersession of Army Hospital Forms 67, 68, 69, and 78. Copies of the new form can be obtained from the Contractor* for Printing Government of India Stock Forms.

2. In the case of Station Hospitals for British Troops, Tables I and II will be filled in for the information of the Officer Commanding the station, and Tables II and III for the information of Officers Commanding corps. In the case of death,

* Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum Press, Madras.

the Officer Commanding the corps will immediately communicate the occurrence to the Chaplain, stating at the same time the hour at which the funeral may be expected at the cemetery.

3. In the case of regimental hospitals for Native troops, the return will be forwarded to the Officer Commanding the corps.

4. In field and general hospitals, Army Form A 27 will be furnished as laid down in the Field Service Medical Manual.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 4th September* 1889.

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Attention is invited to the following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st July 1889.

A. O. 307—Royal Military Asylum.

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The attention of Officers Commanding British Corps is called to para. 473, Instructions for the payment of British troops in India.

Instances having occurred of the regulations therein laid down having been neglected, the Commander-in-Chief directs that Commanding Officers will take steps to ensure strict compliance with this order in future, *viz.*, that the paymaster or officer forwarding a family remittance will satisfy himself by personal enquiry that the remittance is *bonâ fide* for the benefit of the person specified and not for any other purpose.

All other conditions laid down in the above-mentioned para. must also be strictly complied with.

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The following order is, with the sanction of Government, confirmed :

*Burma District Order*, appointing Colonel W. L. Ranking, 13th Madras Infantry, to command the 3rd Brigade, Upper Burma Force, with effect from the 14th March 1889, on the departure of Brigadier-General H. Collett, C.B., on furlough.

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**No. 397.**—The following extracts from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,*
*6th September* 1889.

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391. It is intimated for the information of British and Native Corps in this Command, that the Bombay Clothing Agency closes on the 1st October 1889, after which date all supplies of clothing for the Bombay Army will be undertaken by the Superintendent, Army Clothing, Madras.

2. All indents and correspondence relating to Army Clothing which cannot reach Bombay by the above date, should be addressed to the Superintendent, Army Clothing, Madras.

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393. The following programme of movements of Her Majesty's Indian Troopships during the season of 1889-90, is published for general information :—

| Voyage. | Ships. | Leaves Portsmouth. | Arrives Bombay. | Troops. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Malabar | 4 Sep. 89 | 1 Oct. 89 | Drafts and Detachment 18th Hussars, Mhow. |
| 2 | Crocodile | 18 Sep. 89 | 17 Oct. 89 | Drafts. |
| 3 | Serapis | 2 Oct. 89 | 29 Oct. 89 | "A" Battery R.H.A. Meerut.<br>"B" " " "<br>"C" " " Umballa.<br>"H" " " Sialkote.<br>Drafts. |
| 4 | Euphrates | 16 Oct. 89 | 14 Nov. 89 | No. 11 Southern Division, R. A. Bombay.<br>No. 18 Southern Division, R. A. Kurrachee.<br>No. 21 Southern Division, R. A. Barrackpore.<br>Drafts. |
| 5 | Malabar | 20 Nov. 89 | 17 Dec. 89 | 18th Hussars, Mhow.<br>Drafts. |
| 6 | Crocodile | 4 Dec. 89 | 2 Jan. 90 | Drafts. |
| 7 | Serapis | 18 Dec. 89 | 14 Jan. 90 | 2nd K. O. Borderers, Subathu, Jutogh. |
| 8 | Euphrates | 1 Jan. 90 | 28 Jan. 90 | 2nd Yorkshire Regiment, Madras Presidency. |
| 9 | Malabar | 5 Feb. 90 | 4 Mar. 90 | 2nd Border Regt. Chakrata. |
| 10 | Crocodile | 19 Feb. 90 | 20 Mar. 90 | Drafts. |
| 11 | Serapis | 5 Mar. 90 | [illegible] Apr. 90 | Drafts. |

| Voyage. | Ships. | Leaves Bombay. | Arrives Portsmouth. | Troops. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| A | Malabar | 12 Oct. 89 | 7 Nov. 89 | "D" Battery R.H.A. Meerut.<br>"E" " " Lucknow.<br>"G" " " Umballa.<br>"O" " " Sialkote. |
| B | Crocodile | 26 Oct. 89 | 21 Nov. 89 | 8th Hussars, Meerut.<br>T. E. men, &c. |
| C | Serapis | 9 Nov. 89 | 5 Dec. 89 | Time expired men, &c. |
| D | Euphrates (calls Aden) | 23 Nov. 89 | 19 Dec. 89 | *To Aden.*<br>No. 15 Battery Western Division, Barrackpore.<br>No. 5 Battery Southern Division, Kurrachee.<br>2nd Leicester Regt. Burma.<br>*To England.*<br>No. 15 Battery Southern Division, Bombay.<br>Nos. 31 and 34 Battery Southern Division, Aden.<br>1st West Riding Regt. Aden. |
| E | Malabar | 28 Dec. 89 | 23 Jan. 90 | 4 Rifle Brigade, Burma.<br>T. E. men, &c. |
| F | Crocodile | 11 Jan. 90 | 6 Feb. 90 | Time expired men, &c. |
| G | Serapis | 25 Jan. 90 | 20 Feb. 90 | 2nd Norfolk Regiment, Burma, T. E. men, &c. |
| H | Euphrates | 8 Feb. 90 | 6 Mar. 90 | Time expired men, &c. |
| I | Malabar | 15 Mar. 90 | 10 Apr. 90 | Do |
| K | Crocodile | 29 Mar. 90 | 24 Apr. 90 | Do. |
| L | Serapis | 12 Apr. 90 | 8 May 90 | Do. |

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Letters and telegrams addressed to the Quarter Master General, Bombay, are re-addressed to Poona, and this frequently results in much delay.

When answers to private telegrams respecting passages, &c., are required, they must invariably be prepaid, otherwise no replies need be expected.

No baggage in excess of the regulated quantity will be allowed to be embarked by any individual.

394. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troopship "*Malabar*" on or about the 1st October 1889 :—

| Corps or Batteries. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Destination. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7th Hussars | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 35 | ... | 1 | 6 | Secunderabad. | |
| 21st Hussars | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 56 | ... | ... | 1 | Bangalore ... | Wellington (temporarily). |
| 2nd Bedford Regiment | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 173 | ... | 2 | 2 | Secunderabad. | |
| 2nd Inniskilling Fusiliers | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (*a*) | |
| 2nd Oxford Light Infantry | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 91 | ... | 1 | ... | Bangalore ... | Wellington (temporarily). |
| Various | 49 | | | 3 | 9 | 4 | ... | 1 | ... | 9 | 8 | (*a*) | |

(*a*) To join as ordered.

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**No. 398.**—The undermentioned officers and warrant officer have leave of absence :—

*Staff Corps.*—Captain H. Elston, wing officer, 30th Madras Infantry, for 183 days, from the 7th April 1889, under Rule X of the Furlough Regulations of 1875. India. Private affairs.

*So much of G.O.C. No. 145 of 1889, as refers to Captain Elston, is hereby cancelled.*

*East Lancashire Regiment.*—Captain C. R. M. O'Brien, Adjutant, Moulmein Volunteer Rifle Corps, for 14 days, in extension of the leave granted him by G.O.C. No. 158 of 1889. India. Private affairs.

*2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.*—2nd Lieutenant G. G. Hewlett, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*Royal Artillery.*—Lieutenant-Colonel V. C. Fisher, to Madras, from the 27th August to the 15th October 1889. Private affairs.

Lieutenant-Colonel V. C. Fisher, (local service officer) to England, for twelve months, on medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon A. L. H. Dixon, to England, for 5 months, on urgent private affairs.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—2nd Grade Apothecary S. F. Michael, for ninety days, in extension of the leave granted him by G. O. C. No. 326 of 1889. India. Medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Corrigendum.*—In G. O. C. No. 306 of 1889, line 2, *dele* the words "doing duty in the Bellary Arsenal."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*20th September* 1889.

**No. 399.**—At a General Court-Martial assembled at Secunderabad on the 30th August 1889, No. 611, Private James Allgood, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, was arraigned on the following charge:—

CHARGE.

In a place without Her Majesty's Dominions, committing the offence of murder,

in that,

at Secunderabad, in the Territories of His Highness the Nizam, on the 6th day of June 1889, he feloniously, wilfully, and of his malice aforethought, did kill and murder one Jaffer Khan.

FINDING.

The Court find that the prisoner, No. 611, Private James Allgood, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, is not guilty of murder but guilty of manslaughter.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentence the prisoner, No. 611, Private James Allgood, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, to suffer penal servitude for the term of five years.

(Sd.) A. PEEL, COLONEL,
*Commanding, 7th (Q.O.) Hussars,*
*President.*

SECUNDERABAD,
31*st August* 1889.

I confirm the finding and sentence of the Court and commute the punishment to imprisonment with hard labour for two years.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, Lieut.-Genl.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

Ootacamund,
11*th September* 1889.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*27th September* 1889.

**No. 400.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 30th August and 3rd September 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 25th instant.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 401.**—The undermentioned having passed an examination at Bangalore in Army Signalling, according to the prescribed test, are qualified as regimental signallers :—

| Regtl. No. | Rank and Name. | | Battery or Corps. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Lieutenant | H. G. Levinge ... | 1/ Norfolk Regiment. |
| | 2nd Lieut... | F. W. Bagshawe | 2/ Oxford Light Infantry. |
| 2839 | Corporal ... | Stainer ... | 21st Hussars. |
| 2787 | Private ... | Byford ... | ,, ,, |
| R. A. 52489 | Gunner ... | Syhes ... | No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery (7/1 London Division Royal Artillery). |
| 23168 | Corporal ... | Mortimer ... | Royal Engineers. |
| 23318 | ,, ... | Castello ... | ,, ,, |
| 1232 | ,, ... | Taylor ... | 1/ Norfolk Regiment. |
| 1122 | Lce.-Corpl. | Lewis ... | ,, ,, |
| 1394 | Private ... | H. Betts ... | ,, ,, |
| 1535 | ,, ... | F. Betts ... | ,, ,, |
| 806 | ,, ... | Feasey ... | 2/ Oxford Light Infantry. |
| 2022 | ,, ... | Pullen ... | ,, ,, ,, |
| 909 | ,, ... | Webb ... | Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. |
| 1549 | ,, ... | Nash ... | ,, ,, ,, |

**No. 402.**—With the approval of His Excellency the Governor, Lieutenant T. S. Young, Staff Corps, 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry, is attached to the Body Guard till further orders for the purpose of study.

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**No. 403.**—Major W. H. Auchinleck, No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division), having elected for half pay promotion to Lieutenant-Colonel, under Article 11 (*b*) of the Royal Warrant, dated 15th November 1887, will, in accordance with instructions received from the Horse Guards, be struck off the strength of the Royal Artillery in this Presidency from the 1st October 1889 inclusive, and may proceed to England, travelling under para. 223 (*c*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part I, and para. 512 (*d*), Part II.

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**No. 404.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following transfers of Royal Artillery Officers:—

Captain F. A. Bligh, from No. 1 Battery Eastern Division (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade London Division), to No. 17 Battery Eastern Division (late No. 8 Battery 1st Brigade Lancashire Division).

Captain R. W. Fuller, from the latter to the former battery.

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**No. 405.**—Veterinary Surgeon A. H. Waddell, having completed a tour of foreign service will return to England, during the present trooping season and report himself to the Principal Veterinary Surgeon to the Forces.

At the public expense, under clause (*d*), para. 512, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Inland.

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**No. 406.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant E. W. Carrick, 13th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer at Meiktila, without prejudice to his other duties, no qualified officer being available for the Station Staff duties alone. Dated 1st April 1889.

Lieutenant R. J. Strachey, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, to be Station Staff Officer at Meiktila, *vice* Lieutenant Carrick relieved. Dated 16th August 1889.

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel A. S. Grove, *D.S.O.*, second in command, 15th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel R. W. Hesketh, who vacates under clause 5, G.O.G. No. 263 of 1882. Dated 28th September 1889.

Lieutenant M. R. Hurly, officiating wing officer (on probation), to be wing officer, sub.*pro tem.*, *vice* Lieutenant M'Intyre seconded for employment in the Burma Police.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant F. W. Bagshawe, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be officiating wing officer and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 19th September 1889.

*15th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant L. H. Walker, wing officer, 28th Regiment Madras Infantry, and attached 15th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Hayne seconded as Commandant, Native Infantry Depôt, Palaveram.

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**No. 407.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel A. Anderson, wing commander, 8th Regiment Madras Infantry, at present doing duty 10th Regiment Madras Infantry, to rejoin his own regiment for duty.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon G. M. Dobson,* M.B., doing duty Secunderabad District, to do duty Myingyan and Mandalay Districts.

Surgeon R. J. Geddes, M.B., on arrival from England, to do duty Secunderabad District.

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon G. H. Evans,* doing duty Station Veterinary Hospital, Bangalore, to do duty, under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Burma District.

Veterinary Surgeon, 1st Class, G. H. Fenton, on arrival from England at Bombay, to do duty Station Veterinary Hospital, Bangalore. To join at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 511, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

* To travel at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

**No. 408.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona,*
*13th September* 1889.

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412. The undermentioned Officers have leave of absence :—

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*2nd Madras Lancers.*—Colonel A. D. Parsons (Madras Cavalry), to Khandala, for two months, from 26th September 1889 or date of departure, on private affairs. Under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps.

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**No. 409.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite his name :—

*2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—Captain G. F. Mockler, from the 3rd to the 19th September 1889, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Lieutenant W. R. Clifford, to England, for one year, on medical certificate.

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Major F. C. Howard, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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(Quarter Master General.)

*Addendum, &c.*—In "remarks" column of Bombay G.Q.C. No. 394, republished at page 292 of Madras G.O.C. of 1889, opposite 2nd Bedfordshire Regiment, insert "*Wellington* (*temporarily*)," and opposite 2nd Oxfordshire Light Infantry, for "*Wellington* (*temporarily*)," substitute "†*Madras for embarkation for Burma.*"

Enter at foot of page.—"†One man and wife go to Welling-" ton, temporarily."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*4th October* 1889.

**No. 410.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 6th and 10th September 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 3rd instant.

**No. 411.**—The Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that the next half yearly examinations in Tamil, Telugu, Canarese, Persian, &c., will be held on Wednesday the 15th January 1890, and following days. Candidates desirous of being examined by the Lower and Higher Standards and for Certificates of High Proficiency, &c., are to send in their applications so that they shall reach the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund, on or before the 22nd November 1889, after which date, no applications will be entertained.

2. The fees for the examination, as per notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 11th January 1882, Part I, page 17, should be paid by candidates at the Presidency into the Bank of Madras and by those in the Mofussil into the nearest treasury and the receipts forwarded with the candidates' applications to the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund.

**No. 412.**—So much of G.O.C. Nos. 383 and 395 of 1889, as refers to Surgeons J. S. Green, M.B., W. L. Gray, M.B., and B. J. Inniss of the Medical Staff and Surgeons J. J. Moran, M.D., A. J. O'Hara and T. W. Stewart of the Indian Medical Service, is cancelled.

**No. 413.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, 2nd Lieutenant H. M. Peak, Norfolk Regiment, is directed to proceed from Mandalay to Wellington, to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment to which he has been transferred. Under para. 223, clause (*i*), and para. 513, clause (*k*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 414.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Captain H. C. C. Gibbings, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, on completion of his period of service in the Army Pay Department, will be attached to the 2nd Battalion of his regiment for duty, pending absorption.

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**No. 415.**—In G. O. C. Nos. 317 and 388 of 1889, *dele* the name "Surgeon Major W. J. S. Campbell."

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**No. 416.**—Under the provisions of paragraph 640, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Surgeon P. J. Nealon, M.D., Medical Staff, is granted an extension of privilege leave from the 25th March to the 3rd April 1889, inclusive, being an equivalent period to that during which he was placed on duty while on ninety days' privilege leave.

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**No. 417.**—The undermentioned non-commissioned officer and men are reported to have completed a special course of instruction at the First Class Gymnasium, Secunderabad, and to have obtained certificates as stated :—

| Corps. | Regtl No. | Rank and Name. | | Certificates. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. | 1610 | Corporal ... | H. Ovenden ... | 1st Class. |
| Do. | 1927 | Lce.-Corpl. | H. Reynolds ... | 2nd Class. |
| 2nd Madras Infantry | 1373 | Private ... | Ramasawmy ... | 2nd Class (for Gymnastics only). |

**No. 418.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

*Madras, 19th September* 1889.

Captain J. Fowle, 21st Hussars, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor.

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**No. 419.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—2nd Lieutenant P. G. Anderson, 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, 4th Class, Salinmyo, *vice* Lieutenant Domenichetti relieved. Dated 6th August 1889.

*2nd Madras Lancers.*—Colonel J. M. C. Galloway, second in command, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel Parsons, who vacates under clause 4 of G.O.G. No. 263 of 1882. Dated 27th September 1889.

Captain E. E. Forbes, squadron commander, to be second in command, *vice* Colonel Galloway promoted.

Captain F. B. Deane, squadron commander, to move up in grade succession.

Captain H. Eardley-Wilmot, squadron commander, sub. *pro tem.*, to be squadron commander, *vice* Captain Deane.

Lieutenant A. A. Jones, squadron officer, sub. *pro tem.*, to be squadron officer, *vice* Captain Eardley-Wilmot promoted, but to remain attached to the 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry, until further orders.

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**No. 420.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*14th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. D. Bayley, second in command, 30th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be attached to the regiment till further orders.

**No. 421.**—The following general order by the Government of Madras, is republished :—

*24th September* 1889.

No. 494.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 13th September 1889, is republished :—

REWARDS.

GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS.

No. 814.—The undermentioned non-commissioned officers and men are granted medals with annuities and gratuities for meritorious service and good conduct, under the provisions of clause 115, India Army Circulars of 1888 :—

*Medals inscribed "For Meritorious Service," with Annuity.*

No. 500, Havildar Venkiah, 2nd Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No. 2716, Havildar Mùhammad Sahib, 5th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

*Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," with Gratuity.*

No. 1137, Private Shaikh Ahmad, 1st Regiment, Madras Lancers.

No. 1207, Private Mir Hasan-u-din, 1st Regiment, Madras Lancers.

No. 1150, Private Shaikh Ibrahim, 2nd Regiment, Madras Lancers.

No. 1098, Private Fakhr-u-din, 2nd Regiment, Madras Lancers.

No. 67, Private Saiyid Dáúd, 3rd Regiment, Madras Cavalry.

No. 86, Private Yenkajee Rao, 3rd Regiment, Madras Cavalry.

No. 1307, Private Sayyid Abdul Aziz, 4th (Prince of Wales' Own) Madras Cavalry.

No. 15, Sapper Chowriapea, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

No. 2131, Sapper Nagamootoo, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

No. 170, Naick Jacob Holmes, 1st Regiment, Madras Infantry (Poineers).

No. 178, Private Saiyid Usman, 1st Regiment Madras Infantry (Poineers).

No. 204, Private Yenkiah, 2nd Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No. 226, Private Narainsawmy, 2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.

No. 401, Private Curpannen, 3rd Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.

No. 447, Private Francis Xavier, 3rd Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.

No. 492, Private Ramjee Rao, 4th Regiment, Madras Infantry (Poineers).
No. 520, Private Goovindoo Raj, 4th Regiment, Madras Infantry (Poineers).
No. 2332, Private Nookiah, 5th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2233, Private Shumboolingum, 5th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 1094, Private Appiah, 6th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 1102, Private Pauppiah, 6th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 422, Private Muhammad Akbar, 7th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 955, Private Venketsawmy, 7th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 289, Private Guddiah, 8th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 243, Private Ghulam Murtaza, 8th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 499, Private Adenaredoo, 9th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 504, Private Shaikh Ismàil, 9th Regiment, Madras Infantry
No. 2488, Private Mahabir, 10th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2467, Private Shaikh Babu, 10th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 137, Private Perwalliah, 11th Regiment, Madras Infantry
No. 162, Private Shaikh Manullah, 11th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2138, Private Shaikh Ali, 12th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2341, Private Shaikh Ali, 12th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 489, Private Sunnassee, 13th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 675, Private Shaikh Hamid, 13th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2149, Private Shaikh Dáúd, 14th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2123, Private Ghulam Dastgir, 14th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 498, Private Zulfikar Beg, 15th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 260, Private Coormiah, 15th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 584, Private Venketsawmy, 16th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 502, Private Pachamyan, 16th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 3156, Private Narainsawmy, 17th Regiment, Madras
No. 1870, Private Shaikh Ibrahim, 17th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2884, Private Paupanah, 19th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No. 3020, Private Venketsawmy, 19th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 411, Private Ramasawmy, 20th Regiment Madras Infantry.
No. 476, Private Rahim Khan, 20th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 345, Private Abdul Kadir, 21st Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 440, Private Rajinah, 21st Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 23, Private Venketachellum, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.
No. 85, Private Muhammad Umar, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.
No. 520, Private Venketsawmy, 23rd Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.
No. 775, Private Anthoney, 23rd Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.
No. 49, Private Narainsawmy, 24th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 151, Private Sayid Yakub, 24th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 244, Private Narainsawmy, 25th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 299, Private Pir Khan, 25th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 219, Private Miguel, 26th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 231, Private Adam Beg, 26th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 242, Private Gourojee Rao, 27th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 497, Private Poopiah, 28th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 515, Private Ramasawmy, 28th Regiment Madras Infantry.
No. 119, Private Shaikh Sultan, 29th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 56, Private Sooharoydoo, 29th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 26, Private Rungiah, 30th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 25, Private Muhammad Sulaiman, 30th Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 336, Private Chendriah, 31st Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.
No. 347, Private Abdul Kadir, 31st Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.
No. 45, Private Jugganackloo, 32nd Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2427, Private Jyacan, 33rd Regiment, Madras Infantry.
No. 2454, Private Buddhan Khan, 33rd Regiment, Madras Infantry.

*Medals inscribed "For Long Service and Good Conduct," without Gratuity.*

No. 400, Private Mootoo Reddy, 3rd Regiment, Madras Light Infantry.

No. 1518, Private Pentiah, 6th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No. 1901, Private Muhammad Ibrahim 17th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No, 192, Private Balagooroo, 25th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No. 221, Private Shaik Adam, 27th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No. 48, Private Muhammad Husain, 29th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

No. 16, Private Sharaf Khan, 30th Regiment, Madras Infantry.

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**No. 422.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 9th September* 1889.

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The following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st July 1889, is republished for information :

A. O. 304.—*Examinations for Promotion.*

In future there will be no official text book for the examination in Tactics. In addition to the Drill Regulations Officers can make use of any works they please, to instruct themselves in the several divisions of the subject, as given in Appendix II. of the Queen's Regulations.

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With reference to G. O. C. C., dated 31st May 1889, page 207,† attention is invited to Army Order No, 319 of 1889, "Commutation of Non-effective Pay of Officers of the Army."

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With reference to Army Regulations, India, Volume II, para. 1493, in which it is laid down that British soldiers are not required to wear waist belts with their summer uniform when leaving barracks for exercise or recreation, it is notified for guidance that this relaxation applies also to soldiers when in summer uniform attending voluntary services at church.

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It is notified that Commanding Officers of Cavalry and Rifle regiments will for the future, commencing from the ensuing

† G.O.C. No. 268 of 1889, page 160.

trooping season, make their own arrangements to have their drafts disembarking at Bombay provided with helmets for use on their journey inland to join regimental head-quarters, the Clothing Department being unable any longer to undertake the duty.

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It is notified for general information that the provisions of G. O. C. C., dated 22nd September 1888, page 396,† regarding the system of settling with soldiers proceeding to England through the Deolali Depôt, have been made permanent, and that the necessary corrections to the "Instructions for the Payment of British troops serving in India" will shortly be issued by the Controller of Military Accounts.

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant:

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2nd Lieut. H. A. Tremayne ... Duke of Cornwall's L. Infy.

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At the examinations held on the 16th July 1889, and following days, the undermentioned officers qualified as noted opposite their names:

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|---|---|---|
| Capt. C. R. M. O'Brien (1) (2) | East Lancashire Regiment. | Examination in (c) and (d) Section IX, para. 39 (IV), Queen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Major. |

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(1) Distinguished in Military Law.
(2) ,, ,, Field Fortification.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:

*Bedfordshire Regiment.*—2nd Lieutenant E. G. Vaughan (Officiating Wing Officer on probation 38th Bengal Infantry), to Calcutta for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages.

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† G.O.C. No. 435 of 1888, pages 286 and 287.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 11th September* 1889.

The Commander-in-Chief has directed the publication of the accompanying return, showing the results of the Annual Course of Musketry for the season 1888-89 as executed by the British and Native Armies serving in the three Presidencies, including the Hyderabad Contingent.

During the past few years there has been a steady improvement in the shooting of the Army in India generally, and His Excellency is much pleased to observe that this satisfactory progress has never been so marked as during the season of 1888-89.

The exceptionally high standard of efficiency attained by many British regiments, and also by a majority of those Native corps who have been armed with the Martini-Henry rifle or carbine, is specially deserving of commendation, the latter having, as a rule, improved to an extent out of all proportion to the mechanical superiority of their new weapon.

The number of regiments falling under the category "bad" is now very much reduced, and His Excellency is encouraged by the past season's results to believe that ere long this standard may altogether disappear from the returns of the Army in India.

The necessity for establishing amongst all ranks a high class of fire discipline and control has been appreciated much more fully than heretofore, but Officers Commanding Native regiments are reminded that the new Musketry Course laid down in G. O. C. C., dated 10th July 1889,* demands a much higher standard in this respect than has hitherto been considered requisite. Marksmanship loses half its value when dissociated from the fire discipline which is so essential to true musketry efficiency, and it is most desirable therefore that none of those concerned should relax their efforts to perfect themselves in this very important branch of a soldier's training.

Owing to serious irregularities which were discovered in the target practice executed by the 2nd Battalion Middlessex, this regiment has, under the orders of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay Army, been debarred from participating in any musketry rewards, and has been excluded from the figure of merit list. With this exception the musketry course for the past season has been regularly conducted.

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* G.O.C. No. 313 of 1889, pages 225 to 235.

*RETURN showing the Figure of Merit for the season* 1888-89 *of the several regiments of British and Native Cavalry and Infantry serving in the three Presidencies, including the Hyderabad Contingent.*

| Number in order of Merit. | | CORPS. | Presidency | Figure of Merit (Range Practices.) | | Standard of Merit. | Increase or Decrease. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | | 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | Increase | Decrease |
| | | **BRITISH CAVALRY.** | | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2nd Dragoon Guards ... ... ... | Bengal | 131·46 | 142·36 | Very good | 10·90 | ... |
| 1 | 2 | 8th Hussars ... ... ... ... | do. | 137·99 | 142·16 | do. | 4·17 | ... |
| 2 | 3 | 3rd Dragoon Guards ... ... ... | do. | 137·84 | 140·54 | do. | 2·70 | ... |
| 7 | 4 | 7th Dragoon Guards ... ... ... | do. | 121·14 | 136·58 | do. | 15·44 | ... |
| 6 | 5 | 1st Dragoon Guards ... ... ... | do. | 121·97 | 127·64 | Good | 5·67 | ... |
| Not in India | 6 | 5th Lancers ... ... ... ... | Bombay | Not in India | 126·38 | do. | ... | ... |
| Not in India | 7 | 21st Hussars ... ... ... ... | Madras | Not in India | 118·94 | Moderate | ... | ... |
| 8 | 8 | 17th Lancers ... ... ... ... | Bengal | 121·00 | 118·03 | do. | ... | 2·97 |
| 5 | 9 | 7th Hussars ... ... ... ... | Madras | 126·85 | 112·75 | do. | ... | 14·10 |
| | | **BRITISH INFANTRY.** | | | | | | |
| 4 | 1 | 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade ... ... | Madras | 151·35 | 170·29 | Very good | 18·94 | ... |
| 44 | 2 | 2nd Battalion Northumberland Fusiliers ... | Bengal | 115·90 | 169·43 | do. | 53·53 | ... |
| 8 | 3 | 1st Battalion Border Regiment ... ... | do. | 146·71 | 165·25 | do. | 18·54 | ... |
| 18 | 4 | 2nd Battalion Highland Light Infantry ... | do. | 140·84 | 162·05 | do. | 21·21 | ... |
| 1 | 5 | 2nd Battalion Royal Warwickshire Regiment .. | do. | 160·65 | 160·09 | do. | ... | 0·56 |

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 6 | 2nd Battalion West Yorkshire Regiment ... | do. | 147·04 | 159·56 | do. | 12·52 | ... |
| 11 | 7 | 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers ... | do. | 143·88 | 156·94 | do. | 13·06 | ... |
| 2 | 8 | 4th Battalion Kings Royal Rifle Corps ... | do. | 157·46 | 156·47 | do. | ... | 0·99 |
| 29 | 9 | 1st Battalion Connaught Rangers ... ... | do. | 130·59 | 155·65 | do. | 25·06 | ... |
| 42 | 10 | 1st Battalion Royal Welsh Fusiliers ... ... | do. | 118·28 | 155·39 | do. | 37·11 | ... |
| 31 | 11 | 2nd Battalion Royal Irish Regiment ... ... | do. | 130·24 | 153·10 | do. | 22·86 | ... |
| 32 | 12 | 2nd Battalion Royal Sussex Regiment ... | do. | 129·05 | 152·44 | do. | 23·39 | ... |
| 10 | 13 | 2nd Battalion Seaforth Highlanders ... ... | do. | 144·21 | 151·51 | do. | 7·30 | ... |
| 13 | 14 | 1st Battalion East Surrey Regiment ... ... | do. | 142·68 | 150·08 | do. | 7·40 | ... |
| 5 | 15 | 2nd Battalion Wiltshire Regiment ... ... | do. | 147·57 | 149·28 | Good | 1·71 | ... |
| 28 | 16 | 2nd Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers ... ... | Bombay | 133·30 | 148·83 | do. | 15·53 | ... |
| 23 | 17 | 1st Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers ... | Bengal | 137·10 | 148·65 | do. | 11·55 | ... |
| 17 | 18 | 1st Battalion West Riding Regiment ... ... | Bombay | 141·19 | 148·32 | do. | 7·13 | ... |
| 27 | 19 | 2nd Battalion Scottish Rifles ... ... | Bengal | 133·34 | 148·23 | do. | 14·89 | ... |
| 20 | 20 | 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment ... | Madras | 138·14 | 147·81 | do. | 9·67 | ... |
| 19 | 21 | 1st Battalion East Lancashire Regiment ... | Bengal | 139·46 | 147·64 | do. | 8·18 | ... |
| 26 | 22 | 1st Battalion Suffolk Regiment ... ... | do. | 133·78 | 145·60 | do. | 11·82 | ... |
| 3 | 23 | 2nd Battalion Royal Fusiliers ... ... | Madras | 155·94 | 145·59 | do. | ... | 10·35 |
| 14 | 24 | 2nd Battalion Manchester Regiment ... ... | Bengal | 142·43 | 145·39 | do. | 2·96 | ... |
| 21 | 25 | 1st Battalion Royal Irish Fusiliers ... ... | do. | 137·85 | 145·11 | do. | 7·26 | ... |
| 12 | 26 | 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment ... ... | Madras | 142·93 | 144·16 | do. | 1·23 | ... |
| 43 | 27 | 1st Battalion East Kent Regiment ... ... | Bengal | 116·20 | 143·59 | do. | 27·39 | ... |
| 36 | 28 | 2nd Battalion Royal Lancaster Regiment ... | Bombay | 126·39 | 143·06 | do. | 16·67 | ... |
| 33 | 29 | 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry ... | Madras | 128·99 | 142·30 | do. | 13·31 | ... |
| 15 | 30 | 2nd Battalion Cheshire Regiment ... ... | Bengal | 141·98 | 142·17 | do. | 0·19 | ... |
| 24 | 31 | 2nd Battalion Devonshire Regiment ... ... | do. | 135·51 | 140·77 | do. | 5·26 | ... |
| 45 | 32 | 2nd Battalion Liverpool Regiment ... ... | do. | 115·70 | 139·74 | do. | 24·04 | ... |
| 22 | 33 | 2nd Battalion Derbyshire Regiment ... ... | do. | 137·40 | 139·73 | do. | 2·33 | ... |
| 7 | 34 | 1st Battalion Leinster Regiment ... ... | do. | 146·80 | 138·14 | do. | ... | 8·66 |
| 37 | 35 | 2nd Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment... ... | do. | 123·87 | 136·41 | do. | 12·54 | ... |
| Not in India | 36 | 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment ... ... | Madras | Not in India | 133·41 | Moderate | ... | ... |
| 41 | 37 | 1st Battalion Worcestershire Regiment ... | Bengal | 121·40 | 132.06 | do. | 10·66 | ... |

| Number in order of Merit. | | CORPS. | Presidency | Figure of Merit (Range Practices.) | | Standard of Merit. | Increase or Decrease. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | | 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | Increase | Decrease |
| | | **British Infantry**—*concld.* | | | | | | |
| 30 | 38 | 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment ... | Madras | 130·37 | 131·65 | Moderate | 1·28 | ... |
| 47 | 39 | 2nd Battalion Yorkshire Light Infantry ... | Bengal | 111·79 | 131·55 | do. | 19·76 | ... |
| Not exd. | 40 | 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers ... | do. | Not exd. | 130·66 | do. | ... | ... |
| 46 | 41 | 2nd Battalion Royal Scots Fusiliers ... ... | do. | 113·14 | 130·07 | do. | 16·93 | ... |
| 34 | 42 | 2nd Battalion Durham Light Infantry ... | Bombay | 128·70 | 127·93 | do. | ... | 0·77 |
| 35 | 43 | 2nd Battalion Gloucestershire Regiment ... | do. | 128·25 | 126·46 | do. | ... | 1·79 |
| 40 | 44 | 2nd Battalion Royal Dublin Fusiliers ... ... | do. | 121·50 | 124·41 | do. | 2·91 | ... |
| Not in India | 45 | 1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry... | Madras | Not in India | 123·03 | do. | ... | ... |
| Not exd. | 46 | 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade ... ... | Bengal | Not exd. | 122·88 | do. | ... | ... |
| 39 | 47 | 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment ... ... | Madras | 122·30 | 122·48 | do. | 0·18 | ... |
| 49 | 48 | 1st Battalion Royal Fusiliers ... ... | Bombay | 110·21 | 121·91 | do. | 11·70 | ... |
| 48 | 49 | 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry ... | Madras | 110·57 | 121·65 | do. | 11·08 | ... |
| 38 | 50 | 1st Battalion Loyal North Lancashire Regiment ... | Bombay | 123·18 | 114·94 | do. | ... | 8·24 |
| Not exd. | 51 | 2nd Battalion Royal West Surrey Regiment ... | Bengal | Not exd. | 112·62 | do. | ... | ... |
| | | **NATIVE CAVALRY.** | | | | | | |
| | | *Exercised with Martini-Henry Carbines.* | | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | 14th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | Bengal | Exercised | 115·76 | Very good | ... | ... |
| ... | 2 | Corps of Guides (Cavalry) ... ... | do. | with Snider | 113·38 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 3 | 1st Punjab Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | Carbines. | 110·92 | do. | ... | ... |

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| ... | 4 | 3rd Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | Exercised with Snider Carbines. | 108·49 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 5 | 13th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | do. | | 107·74 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 6 | 18th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | do. | | 106·41 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 7 | 3rd Punjab Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | | 106·19 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 8 | 4th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | | 105·17 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 9 | 4th Bombay Cavalry ... ... ... | Bombay | | 104·69 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 10 | 2nd Madras Lancers ... ... ... | do. | | 104·49 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 11 | 1st Central India Horse ... ... ... | do. | | 103·92 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 12 | 6th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | Bengal | | 103·21 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 13 | 9th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | do. | | 100·76 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 14 | 19th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | do. | | 98·61 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 15 | 16th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | | 97·67 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 16 | 12th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | | 94·48 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 17 | 7th Bombay Cavalry ... ... ... | Bombay | | 94·01 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 18 | 15th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | Bengal | | 90·61 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 19 | 1st Bombay Lancers ... ... ... | Bombay | | 86·96 | Good | ... | ... |

*Exercised with Snider Carbines.*

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 1 | Deoli Irregular Force (Cavalry) ... ... | Bengal | 98·48 | 106·11 | Very good | 7·63 | ... |
| 1 | 2 | 3rd Madras Light Cavalry ... ... | Madras | 99·25 | 101·38 | do. | 2·13 | ... |
| 27 | 3 | Erinpura Irregular Force (Cavalry) ... ... | Bombay | 81·86 | 98·90 | do. | 17·04 | ... |
| 4 | 4 | 2nd Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | Bengal | 91·63 | 98·41 | do. | 6·78 | ... |
| 3 | 5 | 2nd Bombay Lancers ... ... ... | Bombay | 97·86 | 94·54 | do. | ... | 3·32 |
| 26 | 6 | 3rd Punjab Cavalry ... ... ... | Bengal | 83·16 | 91·39 | do. | 8·23 | ... |
| 14 | 7 | 1st Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | 86·08 | 88·16 | Good | 2·08 | ... |
| 24 | 8 | 4th Madras Light Cavalry ... ... | Madras | 83·02 | 87·71 | do. | 4·69 | ... |
| 10 | 9 | 2nd Central India Horse ... ... ... | Bengal | 88·61 | 87·25 | do. | ... | 1·36 |
| 13 | 10 | 2nd Punjab Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | 86·34 | 87·21 | do. | 0·87 | ... |
| 34 | 11 | 1st Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | 73·36 | 86·22 | do. | 12·86 | ... |
| 5 | 12 | 8th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | Bengal | 90·28 | 85·64 | do. | ... | 4·64 |
| 17 | 13 | 5th Punjab Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | 84·73 | 85·16 | do. | 0·43 | ... |

| Number in order of Merit. | | CORPS. | Presidency | Figure of Merit (Range Practices.) | | Standard of Merit. | Increase or Decrease. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | | 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | Increase | Decrease |

**Native Cavalry**—*contd.*

*Exercised with Snider Carbines.*

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 29 | 14 | 9th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | Bengal | 79·85 | 84·71 | Good. | 4·86 | ... |
| 25 | 15 | 10th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | do. | 82·54 | 83·49 | do. | 0·95 | ... |
| 21 | 16 | 16th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | 84·10 | 83·15 | do. | ... | 0·95 |
| 20 | 17 | 15th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | 84·16 | 82·85 | do. | ... | 1·31 |
| 15 | 18 | 14th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | do. | 85·66 | 82·67 | Very good. | ... | 2·99 |
| 7 | 19 | 3rd Bombay Light Cavalry ... ... | Bombay | 89·55 | 82·01 | do. | ... | 7·54 |
| 22 | 20 | 18th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | Bengal | 84·00 | 81·34 | do. | ... | 2·66 |
| Not exd. | 21 | 3rd Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | Not exd. | 81·17 | do. | ... | ... |
| 11 | 22 | 13th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | Bengal | 88·20 | 80·86 | do. | ... | 7·34 |
| 33 | 23 | 19th Bengal Lancers ... ... ... | do. | 75·31 | 77·76 | Moderate | 2·45 | ... |
| Disqualified | 24 | 17th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | Disqualified | 76·56 | do. | ... | ... |
| 39 | 25 | 6th Bombay Cavalry ... ... ... | Bombay | 55·67 | 75·85 | do. | 20·18 | ... |
| 38 | 26 | 5th Bombay Cavalry ... ... ... | Bengal | 64·43 | 74·31 | do. | 9·88 | ... |
| 36 | 27 | 5th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | 71·09 | 70·77 | do. | ... | 0·32 |
| Not exd. | 28 | 7th Bengal Cavalry ... ... ... | do. | Not exd. | 67·29 | Bad | ... | ... |
| 35 | 29 | Aden Troop ... ... ... ... | Bombay | 72·33 | 59·94 | do. | ... | 12·39 |
| 23 | 30 | 2nd Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | 83·75 | 56·92 | do. | ... | 26·83 |

## SAPPERS and MINERS.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | Bengal Sappers and Miners ... ... | Bengal | M. H. ... | 93·05 | Very good | | ... |
| | | | | S. 68·37 | 73·78 | Moderate | 5·41 | |
| 3 | 2 | Madras Sappers and Miners ... ... | Madras | 62·07 | *90·13 | Very good | 28·06 | ... |
| 2 | 3 | Bombay Sappers and Miners ... ... | Bombay | 62·98 | *74·84 | Moderate | 11·86 | ... |

## NATIVE INFANTRY.

*Exercised with Martini-Henry Rifles.*

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ... | 1 | 1st Battalion 4th Goorkhas ... ... | Bengal | Exercised with Snider Rifles. | 164·19 | Very good | ... | ... |
| ... | 2 | 4th Sikh Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 163·93 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 3 | 29th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 163·14 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 4 | 1st Battalion 3rd Goorkhas ... ... | do. | | 161·07 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 5 | 30th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 160·62 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 6 | 22nd Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 158·34 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 7 | 24th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 153·92 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 8 | 2nd Battalion 1st Goorkhas (Depôt) ... ... | do. | | 152·64 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 9 | 1st Battalion 1st Goorkhas ... ... | do. | | 151·49 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 10 | 4th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 151·49 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 11 | 25th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 149·17 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 12 | 1st Battalion 2nd Goorkhas ... ... | do. | | 148·76 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 13 | 1st Battalion 5th Goorkhas ... ... | do. | | 148·69 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 14 | 28th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 148·40 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 15 | 3rd Sikh Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 148·13 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 16 | 14th Sikhs ... ... ... ... | do. | | 146·31 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 17 | Corps of Guides (Infantry) ... ... | do. | | 146·15 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 18 | 18th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 145·72 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 19 | 26th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 145·72 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 20 | 30th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | | 145·34 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 21 | 20th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | | 143·99 | do. | ... | ... |

* Partly exercised with Martini-Henry, and partly with Snider, Rifles.

| Number in order of Merit. | | CORPS. | Presidency | Figure of Merit (Range Practices.) | | Standard of Merit. | Increase or Decrease. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | | 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | Increase | Decrease |
| | | **Native Infantry**—*contd.* | | | | | | |
| | | *Exercised with Martini-Henry Rifles.* | | | | | | |
| ... | 22 | 23rd Madras Light Infantry ... ... | Madras | Exercised with Snider Rifles. | 143·82 | Very good | ... | ... |
| ... | 23 | 2nd Battalion 4th Goorkhas ... ... | Bengal | | 143·70 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 24 | 2nd Battalion 5th Goorkhas ... ... | do. | | 143·51 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 25 | 22nd Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 139·54 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 26 | 4th Madras Pioneers ... ... ... | Madras | | 138·55 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 27 | 15th Sikhs ... ... ... ... | Bengal | | 138·50 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 28 | 29th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 137·34 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 29 | 39th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 135·85 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 30 | 2nd Battalion 3rd Goorkhas ... ... | do. | | 134·47 | Good | ... | ... |
| ... | 31 | 5th Bengal Light Infantry ... ... | do. | | 132·14 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 32 | 2nd Battalion 2nd Goorkhas ... ... | do. | | 130·21 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 33 | 27th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 129·94 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 34 | 11th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 129·48 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 35 | 2nd Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | | 128·79 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 36 | 16th Lucknow Regiment ... ... ... | Bengal | | 126·26 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 37 | 1st Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 125·18 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 38 | 26th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | | 123·92 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 39 | 23rd Pioneers (Depôt) ... ... ... | Bengal | | 119·24 | Moderate | ... | ... |
| ... | 40 | 25th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | | 116·30 | do. | ... | ... |
| ... | 41 | 9th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | do. | | 110·60 | do. | ... | ... |

*Exercised with Snider Rifles.*

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 98 | 1 | 2nd Bengal Light Infantry ... ... | Bengal | 104·30 | 153·80 | Very good | 49·50 | ... |
| 53 | 2 | 40th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 117·67 | 149·54 | do. | 31·87 | ... |
| 1 | 3 | 29th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 142·33 | 144·20 | do. | 1·87 | ... |
| 42 | 4 | 37th Dogras ... ... ... ... | do. | 120·31 | 141·39 | do. | 21·08 | ... |
| 12 | 5 | 19th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 131·26 | 140·74 | do. | 9·48 | ... |
| 30 | 6 | 33rd Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 125·85 | 140·52 | do. | 14·67 | ... |
| 2 | 7 | Merwara Battalion ... ... ... | Bengal | 140·61 | 140·09 | do. | ... | 0·52 |
| 29 | 8 | 2nd Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 126·45 | 138·07 | do. | 11·62 | ... |
| 6 | 9 | Deoli Irregular Force (Infantry) ... ... | do. | 135·84 | 137·78 | do. | 1·94 | ... |
| 3 | 10 | 6th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 138·67 | 137·39 | do. | ... | 1·28 |
| 28 | 11 | 31st Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 126·58 | 137·11 | do. | 10·53 | ... |
| 35 | 12 | 24th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 123·81 | 136·27 | do. | 12·46 | ... |
| 33 | 13 | 38th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 125·41 | 135·23 | do. | 9·82 | ... |
| 31 | 14 | 21st Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 125·73 | 134·82 | Good. | 9·09 | ... |
| 13 | 15 | Bhopal Battalion ... ... ... | do. | 130·82 | 134·31 | do. | 3·49 | ... |
| 97 | 16 | 4th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 104·68 | 134·00 | do. | 29·32 | ... |
| 24 | 17 | 3rd Sikh Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 127·40 | 133·99 | do. | 6·59 | ... |
| 64 | 18 | 7th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 114·96 | 132·49 | do. | 17·53 | ... |
| 66 | 19 | 19th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 114·53 | 131·34 | do. | 16·81 | ... |
| 10 | 20 | 2nd Sikh Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 131·55 | 131·15 | do. | ... | 0·40 |
| 9 | 21 | Corps of Guides (Infantry) ... ... | do. | 132·73 | 130·87 | do. | ... | 1·86 |
| 84 | 22 | Erinpura Irregular Force (Infantry) ... ... | Bombay | 109·84 | 130·77 | do. | 20·93 | ... |
| Not exd. | 23 | 2nd Battalion 4th Bombay Rifles ... ... | do. | Not exd. | 130·51 | do. | ... | ... |
| 27 | 24 | 1st Sikh Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 126·59 | 130·18 | do. | 3·59 | ... |
| 44 | 25 | 44th Goorkha Light Infantry ... ... | do. | 120·22 | 129·26 | do. | 9·04 | ... |
| 50 | 26 | 1st Battalion 2nd Goorkhas ... ... | do. | 118·58 | 128·91 | do. | 10·33 | ... |
| Not exd. | 27 | 35th Sikhs ... ... ... ... | do. | Not exd. | 128·27 | do. | ... | ... |
| 16 | 28 | 24th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 129·61 | 127·89 | do. | ... | 1·72 |
| 81 | 29 | 7th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 110·41 | 127·36 | do. | 16·95 | ... |
| 51 | 30 | 20th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 118·36 | 126·68 | do. | 8·32 | ... |

| Number in order of Merit. 1887-88. | Number in order of Merit. 1888-89. | CORPS. | Presidency | Figure of Merit. (Range Practices.) 1887-88. | Figure of Merit. (Range Practices.) 1888-89. | Standard of Merit. | Increase or Decrease. Increase | Increase or Decrease. Decrease |
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| | | **Native Infantry.**—*contd.* | | | | | | |
| | | *Exercised with Snider Rifles.* | | | | | | |
| Special course, Burma. | 31 | 17th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | Special course, Burma. | 126·27 | Good | ... | ... |
| 22 | 32 | 5th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 127·65 | 126·06 | do. | ... | 1·59 |
| 11 | 33 | 14th Sikhs ... ... ... ... | do. | 131·50 | 125·83 | do. | ... | 5·67 |
| 20 | 34 | 25th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 128·18 | 125·27 | do. | ... | 2·91 |
| 46 | 35 | 1st Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 119·11 | 125·07 | do. | 5·96 | ... |
| 67 | 36 | 12th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 114·37 | 124·29 | do. | 9·92 | ... |
| Not exd. | 37 | 42nd Goorkha Light Infantry (Depôt) ... | Bengal | Not exd. | 123·83 | do. | ... | ... |
| 74 | 38 | 11th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 112·12 | 123·25 | do. | 11·13 | ... |
| 56 | 39 | 36th Sikhs ... ... ... ... | Bengal | 117·03 | 123·08 | do. | 6·05 | ... |
| 49 | 40 | 8th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 118·74 | 122·16 | do. | 3·42 | ... |
| 61 | 41 | 9th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 115·60 | 121·61 | do. | 6·01 | ... |
| 14 | 42 | 13th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 130·19 | 121·39 | do. | ... | 8·80 |
| 80 | 43 | 28th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 110·66 | 120·70 | do. | 10·04 | ... |
| 48 | 44 | 3rd Bombay Light Infantry ... ... | do. | 118·75 | 120·02 | do. | 1·27 | ... |
| 83 | 45 | 28th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 110·16 | 119·83 | Moderate | 9·67 | ... |
| 40 | 46 | 20th Madras Infrntry ... ... ... | do. | 121·06 | 119·76 | do. | ... | 1·30 |
| 57 | 47 | 19th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 116·82 | 119·08 | do. | 2·26 | ... |

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| 73 | 48 | 24th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 112·44 | 119·03 | Moderate | 6·59 | ... |
| 37 | 49 | 1st Battalion 4th Bombay Rifles ... ... | do. | 122·40 | 118·75 | do. | ... | 3·65 |
| 54 | 50 | 1st Infantry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | 117·54 | 118·38 | do. | 0·84 | ... |
| 96 | 51 | 1st Grenadiers Bombay Infantry ... ... | Bombay | 105·77 | 118·36 | do. | 12·59 | ... |
| 111 | 52 | 26th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 87·72 | 118·32 | do. | 30·60 | ... |
| 90 | 53 | 20th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 107·87 | 118·26 | do. | 10·39 | ... |
| 19 | 54 | 6th Bengal Light Infantry ... ... | Bengal | 128·40 | 118·12 | do. | ... | 10·28 |
| 45 | 55 | 8th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 119·66 | 117·50 | do. | ... | 2·16 |
| 41 | 56 | 3rd Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 120·84 | 117·42 | do. | ... | 3·42 |
| 5 | 57 | 45th Sikhs ... ... ... ... | do. | 136·45 | 117·32 | do. | ... | 19·13 |
| 58 | 58 | 9th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 116·68 | 116·71 | do. | 0·03 | ... |
| 52 | 59 | 21st Bombay Infantry (Marine Battalion) ... | Bombay | 118·04 | 116·24 | do. | ... | 1·80 |
| 102 | 60 | 12th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 102·67 | 115·72 | do. | 13·05 | ... |
| Not exd. | 61 | 10th Bengal Infantry (Depôt) ... ... | Bengal | Not exd. | 115·31 | do. | ... | ... |
| 93 | 62 | 16th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 106·21 | 115·09 | do. | 8·88 | ... |
| 75 | 63 | 13th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 112·02 | 113·81 | do. | 1·79 | ... |
| 76 | 64 | 8th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 111·68 | 113·61 | do. | 1·93 | ... |
| 47 | 65 | 29th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | do. | 118·78 | 112·94 | do. | ... | 5·84 |
| 62 | 66 | 31st Madras Light Infantry ... ... | do. | 115·36 | 112·62 | do. | ... | 2·74 |
| 55 | 67 | 6th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | 117·45 | 111·36 | do. | ... | 6·09 |
| 77 | 68 | 26th Punjab Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 111·38 | 110·30 | do. | ... | 1·08 |
| 107 | 69 | 1st Madras Pioneers ... ... ... | Madras | 98·60 | 110·24 | do. | 11·64 | ... |
| 103 | 70 | 10th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 102·57 | 109·97 | Bad | 7·40 | ... |
| Not exd. | 71 | 3rd Battalion 4th Bombay Rifles ... ... | do. | Not exd. | 109·43 | do. | ... | ... |
| 91 | 72 | 11th Bengal Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 106·62 | 108·75 | do. | 2·13 | ... |
| Disqualified | 73 | 2nd Grenadiers Bombay Infantry ... ... | Bombay | Disqualified | 108·01 | do. | ... | ... |
| 71 | 74 | 5th Bombay Light Infantry ... ... | do. | 112·68 | 107·93 | do. | ... | 4·75 |
| 78 | 75 | 22nd Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 111·34 | 106·97 | do. | ... | 4·37 |
| 95 | 76 | 34th Pioneers ... ... ... ... | Bengal | 106·04 | 106·64 | do. | 0·66 | ... |
| 86 | 77 | 17th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 109·18 | 106·28 | do. | ... | 2·90 |
| Not exd. | 78 | 14th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | do. | Not exd. | 105·62 | do. | ... | ... |
| 105 | 79 | 5th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Bengal | 101·15 | 105·58 | do. | 4·43 | ... |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | | 1887-88. | 1888-89. | | Increase | Decrease |
| | | **Native Infantry.**—*concld.* | | | | | | |
| | | *Exercised with Snider Rifles.* | | | | | | |
| ... | 80 | 32nd Pioneers (Depôt) ... ... ... | Bengal | ... | 104·33 | Bad | ... | ... |
| 104 | 81 | 16th Lucknow Regiment ... ... ... | do. | 101·79 | 102·21 | do. | 0·42 | ... |
| Special course, Burma. | 82 | 14th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | Special course, Burma. | 99·96 | do. | ... | ... |
| Not exd. | 83 | 27th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | do. | Not exd. | 99·28 | do. | ... | ... |
| Not exd. | 84 | 3rd Infantry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | Not exd. | 98·37 | do. | ... | ... |
| 72 | 85 | 7th Bombay Infantry ... ... ... | Bombay | 112·65 | 98·36 | do. | ... | 14·29 |
| 92 | 86 | 5th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | 106·45 | 94·99 | do. | ... | 11·46 |
| 106 | 87 | 3rd Madras Light Infantry ... ... | Madras | 100·30 | 94·97 | do. | ... | 5·33 |
| Not exd. | 88 | 2nd Infantry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | Not exd. | 90·61 | do. | ... | ... |
| Special course, Burma. | 89 | 21st Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | Special course, Burma. | 88·07 | do. | ... | ... |
| 38 | 90 | 4th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent ... ... | Hyd. Cont. | 122·11 | 86·30 | do. | ... | 35·81 |
| 94 | 91 | 30th Madras Infantry ... ... ... | Madras | 106·16 | 83·92 | do. | ... | 22·24 |

*Head Quarters, Simla, 12th September* 1889.

A revision of Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, sec. XV, "Barracks," having been approved of by Government, will be issued as a tentative measure to all concerned. At the end of 12 months, Commanding Officers will submit to the Adjutant General a report on the working of the new system of Regimental Institutions with any modifications or additions they may desire to suggest, and General Officers in transmitting these reports will record their own opinions.

Section XV, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, edition of 1887, will be suspended until further orders.

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Military Department No. 1507-C., dated 6th Aug. 1889.
Military Department No. 1522-C., dated 8th Aug. 1889.

In continuation of G. O. C. C., dated 18th June 1889, page 221,† publishing the Reliefs of British and Native troops for 1889-90, the following alterations and addition are made.

| Corps. | From | To | By route march, rail, &c. |
|---|---|---|---|
| * * | * | * | * |
| 33rd Bengal Infantry ... | Burma ... | Delhi ... | By sea from Rangoon to Calcutta, thence by rail. |
| * * | * | * | * |
| 2nd Battn. 4th Goorkhas | Bakloh ... | Burmah ... | Rail and Sea. |

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The undermentioned officer is qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant:

2nd Lieutenant E. P. Mark ... Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

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† G.O.C. No. 278 of 1889, page 168.

*Head Quarters, Simla, 16th September* 1889.

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In inviting attention to clause 97 of India Army Circulars of 1889, amending Army Regulations, India, Vol. XI., Part I., para. 172, with regard to the fitting of boots, the Commander-in-Chief desires to impress upon Officers Commanding British Corps and all others concerned, the vital importance of having men fitted with boots sufficiently long.

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Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Prideaux, Assistant Judge Advocate General and officiating Deputy Judge Advocate General, is transferred from the 7th Circle, Poona, to the 8th Circle, Secunderabad, vice Skinner, on leave.

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Lieutenant M. M. Noble, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed from Darjeeling to Fort St. George, and join No. 1 Battery Eastern Division to which he has been transferred.

Under Transport Regulations, Part II., para. 512, clause (*b*).

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 18th September* 1889.

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The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :

*Oxfordshire Light Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant the Honorable C. G. Bruce (Officiating Wing Officer on probation, 1st Battalion, 5th Goorkhas), to Rawal Pindi, for six months, from date of availing himself of it, to study the native languages.

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**No. 423.**—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. R. Foord, for 9 months, on private affairs.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*—2nd Lieutenant E. J. Buckley, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon-Major H. J. Hazlett, for one day, *viz.*, the 6th August 1889, under rule XXV of the Furlough Regulations of 1868. India Private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*4th October* 1889.

**No. 424.**—The following extract from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, is republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 19th September* 1889.

At a general Court Martial, assembled at Secunderabad, on the 2nd day of August 1889, Honorary Major William Maurice Creighton, of the Army Pay Department, was arraigned on the following charges.

CHARGES.

*1st Charge Sheet.*—When charged with the care of public money, fraudulently misapplying the same;

in that

at Secunderabad, on or about the 1st March 1889, he fraudulently misapplied to his own use, the sum of rupees five thousand and thirty-four, annas eight, and pies six, (Rs. 5,034-8-6) or thereabouts deducted by him, as Paymaster, from the pay for February 1889, of the officers of the 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, for the purpose of being remitted by Remittance Transfer Receipt to Messrs. King, King, & Co., Bombay, on account of Mess Bills of the said officers, from the 22nd January, to 21st February 1889, (inclusive), for credit to the Regimental Mess Account with that firm.

*3rd Charge Sheet.*—When charged with the care of public money, fraudulently misapplying the same;

in that,

at Secunderabad, between the 31st of December 1888 and the 5th of March 1889, he fraudulently misapplied to his own use, the sum of rupees eighteen thousand one hundred and eighty-seven, annas five, and pies six (Rs. 18,187-5-6) or thereabouts, public money received by him as paymaster of the 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, the said sum being the balance shown in the following abstract of accounts.

Balance deficient as shown by the Paymaster himself, in his accounts for February and March 1889, in the General Account Army Book No. 59, page 245, and in a statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements (as taken from the General Account Book) from the 1st February to 5th March 1889, made and signed by him, *viz.* (Rs. 18,187-5-6).

*4th Charge Sheet.*—Behaving in a scandalous manner unbecoming the character of an officer and a gentleman;

in that,

at Secunderabad, on or about the 7th February 1889, he converted to his own use, the proceeds of a cheque for Halli Sicca Rs. 3,507, given to him by Captain the Honorable Richard Thompson Lawley, of the 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, and President of the Regimental Refreshment Room, commonly called the Coffee Shop, for the purpose of obtaining from the Treasury, as Paymaster of the 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars a Remittance Transfer Receipt, for Government Rupees 3,000, the equivalent of Halli Sicca Rs. 3507, to be remitted to the Regimental Agents, Messrs. King, King & Co., Bombay, to the credit of the Regimental Refreshment Room Account.

*5th Charge Sheet.*—Behaving in a scandalous manner unbecoming the character of an officer and a gentleman;

in that,

at Secunderabad, on the 1st of January 1889, he wrote a letter to his Commanding Officer, Colonel Arthur Peel, Commanding the 7th (Queen's Own) Hussars, in which the following passages occur, which passages were written with the intent to deceive, and for the purpose of misleading his Commanding Officer, and to conceal his own defalcations, and fraudulent acts:

"The case stands thus. The Treasury has been closed since the 24th December, and is not opened till the 3rd January 1889, hence I cannot draw any money."

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"The Treasury only gave me Rs. 14,500, instead of Rs. 18,000, I wanted; Rs. 10,000, having been paid to the credit of the Bedfordshire Regiment, and taken from the 7th Hussars Balance."

The fact being, as he, the prisoner, well knew, that he had drawn the whole of his available balance for the month, of December 1888, and for the year 1888, on the 18th of December, and that the sum of rupees ten thousand (Rs. 10,000) was paid to the credit of the Bedfordshire Regiment, in October 1888, of which the prisoner was duly informed, and that it did not affect his drawings for December, on his available balance.

FINDING.

The Court find that the prisoner Honorary Major William Maurice Creighton, of the Army Pay Department, is

Guilty of the charge in the first charge sheet.

Guilty of the charge in the third charge sheet, with exception, that the amount is rupees eleven thousand seven hundred and thirteen, annas six, and pies five, instead of rupees eighteen thousand one hundred and eighty-seven, annas five, and pies six, as averred in the charge.

Guilty of the charge in the fourth charge sheet.

Guilty of the charge in the fifth charge sheet.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentence the prisoner, Honorary Major William Maurice Creighton, of the Army Pay Department, to be cashiered, to be imprisoned for one year, to forfeit the Egyptian medal and Khedive star, and to be put under stoppages of pay until he has made good the sum of rupees nineteen thousand seven hundred and forty-seven, annas fourteen, and pies eleven (Rs. 19,747-14-11).

(Sd.) J. E. WETHERALL, *Colonel*,
*2nd Battalion, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers*,
*President*.

SECUNDERABAD;
16*th August* 1889.

CONFIRMED.

(Sd.) FRED. ROBERTS, *General*,
*Commander-in-Chief in India*.

SIMLA;
9*th September* 1889.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*11th October* 1889.

**No. 425.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 13th and 17th September 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 10th instant.

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**No. 426.**—Her Majesty the Queen has been pleased to approve, on the recommendation of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief of the grant of a silver medal for "Distinguished Conduct in the Field" to the undermentioned Non-Commissioned officer.

Lance-Sergeant (now Color-Sergeant), F. Bevis, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment in recognition of his gallant conduct in action with dacoits near Momeit, Upper Burma, on the 14th January 1889.

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**No. 427.**—The attention of Officers Commanding British Corps is invited to para. 267, Army Regulations, India, Volume III, Equipment, regarding the issue of sea kit canvas bags to soldiers proceeding home.

The bags are to be distinctly marked with the owner's name rank, corps, and place of distination, *i.e.*, Gosport, Netley, or Woolwich as the case may be.

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**No. 428.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalion specified against their names, provided the public be put to no expense by the arrangement :—

*Cheshire Regiment,*

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|---|---|
| Quarter Master F. Howard | ... 3rd Battalion. |
| " " T. Yates | ... 1st Battalion. |

**No. 429.**—The following transfer to the Pension Establishment is ordered :—

| Corps. | Rank and Name. | | Regimental Number. | Decision of Government. | From what date to be struck off. | From what date to be received on the Pension Establishment. | Where stationed at present. | Station or Corps selected to reside. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| His Excellency the Governor's Band. | Private & Senior Musician. | Stephen Ansell ... | 38 | One shilling per diem. | 30th September 1889. | 1st October 1889. | Madras. | Madras. | |

**No. 430.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the name of Captain E. R. Scott, 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment, is struck off the list of officers detailed for duty with their regimental depôts published in G.O.C. No. 357 of 1889.

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**No. 431.**—Referring to G.O.C. No. 332, dated 16th August 1889, it is notified that intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that Lieutenant T. E. W. Bidgood has been posted to No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery.

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**No. 432.**—The services of Lieutenant T. S. Johnson, 31st Light Infantry, having been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief by G. O. G. No. 511 of 1889, that officer is directed to rejoin his regiment for duty.

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**No. 433.**—The name of Lieutenant F. H. Domenichetti, 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment, is added to the list of officers detailed for duty with their regimental depôts published in G.O.C. No. 357 of 1889.

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**No. 434.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant H. P. King-Salter, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, to be Station Staff Officer, 3rd Class, Toungoo, *vice* Lieutenant H. W. Johnston, 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, relieved. Dated 22nd May 1889.

*22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel A. Bredin, wing commander, to be second in command. Dated 25th June 1889.

*So much of G.O.C. No. 230 of 1889, as refers to Colonel Bredin, is cancelled.*

*28th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. M. Jackson, wing officer and officiating Quarter Master, is confirmed in the latter appointment. Dated 2nd August 1889.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon Major J. North, to the medical charge of the Army Head Quarters Staff and Establishments, in addition and without prejudice, to his other duties. Dated 1st October 1889.

**No. 435.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

1st *Madras Lancers.*—Surgeon Major S. L. Dobie, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment. To travel at the public expense, under para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

*Medical Staff.*—* Surgeon-Major G. D. Bourke, Senior Medical Officer of the Station Hospital, Thayetmyo, to report himself to the Deputy Surgeon-General Her Majesty's Forces, Burma District, for orders.

* Surgeon-Major G. K. Powell, M.D., in medical charge Station Hospital, Calicut, to be Senior Medical Officer of the Station Hospital, Thayetmyo.

Surgeon S. C. Philson, on arrival from England to the medical charge of the Station Hospital, Calicut.

Surgeon W. H. Bean, doing duty Station Hospital, Belgaum (now at Bangalore), to do duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

* Surgeon B. J. Inniss, doing duty Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty Myingyan and Mandalay Districts.

*The posting of Surgeon G. M. Dobson, M. B., published in G.O.C. No.* 407 *of* 1889, *is hereby cancelled.*

* To travel at the public expense under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 436.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 27th August* 1889.

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It is notified for information that the Government of India have sanctioned the issue on payment, at the rate of Rs. 14 per 1,000 rounds, of Morris' tube ammunition to corps desirous of purchasing the same.

Requisitions for the number of rounds required should be submitted by regiments and battalions to the arsenal or depôt on which they are dependent.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 9th September* 1889.

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At the examinations held on the 16th July 1889, and following days, the undermentioned officers qualified as noted opposite their names:

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| * | * | Examination in (*c*) and (*d*), Section IX, para. 39 (III), Queen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Captain. |
| Lieut R. Percy-Smith ... | Royal Artillery. | |
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**No. 437.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 27th September* 1889.

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435. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troopship "Crocodile" on or about the 17th October 1889 :—

| Corps or Batteries. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Staff. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. Wives. | Officers' Families. Children. | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Destination. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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| 1st Cheshire Regiment | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (a) | |
| * * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | |
| Various | 2 | ... | 9 | 8 | 6 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15 | 21 | (a) | |

(a) To join as ordered.

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**No. 438.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite their names :—

*1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain G. Massy, from the 18th September 1889 to the 3rd January 1890, on medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major W. J. S. Campbell, from the 19th October 1889 to the 18th January 1890, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence:—

*Royal Engineers.*—Lieutenant H. A. D. Fraser, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Corrigendum.*—To the name of Brigadier-General Faunce, in G.O.C. No. 202 of 1889, affix an asterisk and add as a foot-note.

* On relief of the command of the Myingyan District, to join his command at Wellington; on duty at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Inland.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*18th October* 1889.

**No. 439.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 20th and 24th September 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 17th instant.

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**No. 440.**—An exchange of troopships having been sanctioned between Surgeons J. Riordan, M.B., and T. R. Morse of the Medical Staff, the following alterations are made in G.O.C. No. 388 of 1889:—

In the second column of the above G.O.C. and opposite 3rd Troopship, *for* "J. Riordan, M.B.," *insert* "T. R. Morse," and opposite 9th Troopship, *insert* "J. Riordan, M.B."

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**No. 441.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant leave of absence, in extension, to Captain J. W. Dunlop, N Battery Royal Horse Artillery, from 30th September 1889 to 29th March 1890, on the recommendation of a medical board.

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**No. 442.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Elementary Standard in Burmese:—

*Thayetmyo, 2nd September* 1887.

Lieutenant R. T. Anwyl-Passingham ... Madras Staff Corps.

**No. 443.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Captain W. G. Wyld, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, 3rd Class, Shwebo, *vice* Lieutenant H. G. Sutton, 27th Regiment Madras Infantry, proceeding to join the School of Musketry at Secunderabad. Dated 20th May 1889.

*3rd Regiment Light Cavalry.*—2nd Lieutenant J. D. T. Tyndale-Biscoe, 11th Hussars, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating squadron officer (on probation). Dated 4th October 1889.

*1st Madras Pioneers.*—Lieutenant F. Bruce, officiating wing officer, to be wing officer (sub. *pro tem.*), *vice* Lieutenant Rainey seconded for employment with the Burma Military Police.

*6th Regiment Madras Infantry*—Major T. Greenaway, wing commander and second in command, sub. *pro tem.*, to be second in command, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Wratislaw transferred to the 15th Regiment Madras Infantry.

Captain G. J. Shaw, wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, to be wing commander, *vice* Major Greenaway promoted.

*7th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant R. J. T. Savi, officiating wing officer, to be wing officer (sub. *pro tem.*), *vice* Captain Lewis seconded for employment with the Burma Military Police.

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel A. Anderson, wing commander, to be second in command, to fill an existing vacancy.

Captain C. W. W. Burton, wing officer, to be wing commander, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson promoted, but to remain seconded for employment on the Staff.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel G. E. Weston, second in command, 27th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be second in command, *vice* Major Howlett transferred to the 17th Regiment Madras Infantry, and to officiate as Commandant, *vice* Colonel Crawfurd proceeded on furlough.

*15th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel M. H. Wratislaw, second in command, 6th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be second in command, *vice* Colonel Grove appointed Commandant, 8th Regiment Madras Infantry, but to remain seconded for employment on the Staff.

*16th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant G. M. MacHutchin, officiating wing officer, to be wing officer, to fill an existing vacancy, remaining attached to 10th Regiment Madras Infantry until further orders.

*17th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Major A. Howlett,* second in command, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be second in command, to fill an existing vacancy. To join on relief by Colonel Weston.

*20th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler, officiating wing officer, to be wing officer (sub. *pro tem.*), *vice* Lieutenant Rynd seconded for employment in the Commissariat Department.

*25th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant F. F. Major, Dorsetshire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 10th October 1889.

*27th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain H. H. Young, wing commander, to be second in command, *vice* Colonel Weston transferred to 12th Regiment Madras Infantry.

Captain E. E. MacMahon,† wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, 5th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be wing commander, *vice* Captain Young promoted.

*28th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant G. R. Oakes, officiating wing officer, to be wing officer, to fill an existing vacancy.

*29th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel A. T. Woodhouse, wing commander, to be second in command, to fill an existing vacancy.

* To travel at the public expense, under para. 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

† To travel at the public expense, under paras. 174 (*e*), and 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 444.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major W. T. Johnston, M.D., on arrival from England, to do duty Madras District. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 511, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

Surgeon Major W. T. Johnston, M.D., doing duty Madras District, and Surgeons R. J. Geddes, M.B., doing duty Secunderabad District, M. L. Hearn, doing duty Station Hospital, Kamptee and W. H. Bean, doing duty Secunderabad District, to report themselves to the Principal Medical Officer, Chin Field Force, Rangoon, for orders.

Surgeon J. S. Green, M.B., doing duty Station Hospital, Bellary, to report himself to the Administrative Medical Officer, Nagpore District, for orders.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeons Major J. Smith, 25th Regiment Madras Infantry and M. H. Smith, 3rd Regiment Light Infantry, and Surgeon J. J. Moran, M.D., in officiating medical charge, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, to report themselves to the Principal Medical Officer, Chin Field Force, Rangoon, for orders.

To travel at the public expense, under paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 445.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite his name :—

*2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment.*—Lieutenant F. E. Glossop, from the 4th October 1889 to the 4th January 1890, on medical certificate.

In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant J. J. B. Jones-Parry, from 10th November 1889 to 28th February 1890, on urgent private affairs.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*General List Infantry.*—Colonel H. R. Shelley, Staff Officer and Superintendent of Details, Fort St. George, privilege leave from the 3rd November or date of departure to the 31st December 1889. India. Private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,

Adjutant-General.

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BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*25th October* 1889.

**No. 446.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 27th September and 1st October 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 24th instant.

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**No. 447.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalion specified opposite their names, provided the public be put to no expense by the arrangement:—

*Cheshire Regiment.*

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|---|---|---|
| Lieutenant H. B. Powell | ... | ... 2nd Battalion. |
| ,, A. de C. Scott | ... | ... 1st ,, |

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**No. 448.**—Army Schoolmaster G. Tomlinson, attached to the 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment, is transferred to the 2nd Battalion Scottish Rifles at Lucknow. To join on the departure of the 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment for England.

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**No. 449.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster, Lance Naigue No. 926, Meer Ahmed Hoossain of the 8th Regiment Madras Infantry, attached to the 4th Regiment (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry, in G.O.C. No. 333, dated 8th July 1887, page 198, is permanently transferred to the 4th Regiment (P.W.O.) Light Cavalry.

**No. 450.**—With reference to G. O. C. No. 609 of 1886, it is hereby notified for information and guidance, that the new pattern Departmental Warrant Officers'. swords can now be issued to Departmental Honorary Commissioned and Warrant Officers on payment.

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**No. 451.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that 2nd Lieutenant W. W. D'O. Bignell has been transferred from No. 25 Battery Southern Division Royal Artillery, to No. 13 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery.

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**No. 452.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that 2nd Class Armourer Sergeant W. McLean, attached to the 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, has been promoted to the rank of 1st Class Armourer Sergeant, with effect from the 9th September 1889.

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**No. 453.**—Veterinary Surgeon G. H. Fenton, Station Hospital, Bangalore, and Veterinary Surgeon E. R. C. Butler, Station Hospital, St. Thomas' Mount, are detailed for temporary duty under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Bangalore District. On duty at the public expense, under para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 454.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani:—

*Bellary, 3rd October* 1889.

Lieutenant G. H. G. Mockler ... ... Staff Corps.

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**No. 455.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Surgeon J. Hoey, Indian Medical Service, doing duty Madras District, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment.

*25th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Surgeon A. J. O'Hara, Indian Medical Service, doing duty Madras District, to the officiating medical charge of the regiment.

**No. 456.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*District Staff.*—Captain C. W. W. Burton, Staff Corps, 8th Regiment Madras Infantry, who has been brought on the strength of the Madras Establishment as a District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, in G.O.G. No. 526 of 1889, to the Myingyan District, *vice* Captain E. E. Forbes, resigned.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon W. P. Feltham, on arrival from England, to do duty Madras District. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 511, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

Surgeon P. J. R. Nunnerly, doing duty Station Hospital, Saint Thomas' Mount, to do duty Secunderabad District. To travel at the public expense, under para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 457.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 26th September* 1889.

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It is notified for information that, as at present arranged, the 12th April 1890 will be the date of sailing of the last troopship of the ensuing season.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :

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*36th Sikhs.*—Lieutenant E. L. Sullivan, Leicestershire Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated 5th September 1889.

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The following officers having passed the examination laid down in para. 331, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, are qualified for appointment on the regimental, general and personal staff of the army:

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| Capt. | A. G. H. Hayne ... | ... Madras Staff Corps. |
| ,, | L. J. Torrie ... | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | E. E. MacMahon ... | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | J. F. Wilson ... | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | P. G. Huggins, D.S.O. | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | F. B. Deane ... | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | C. Stevens ... | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | H. Eardley-Wilmot | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | H. H. H. Aspinall | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | A. P. Westlake, D.S.O. | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | A. B. Murray ... | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, | R. W. Preston ... | ... Bombay Staff Corps. |

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 7th October* 1889.

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Attention is invited to the following Army Orders, dated War Office, 1st August 1889:

A. O. 337 }
A. O. 338 } —Examinations for promotion.

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With the sanction of Government, it is notified that all appointments under regulation of medical officers and medical warrant officers to field and general hospitals and other establishments in the field shall be made in Field Force Orders which the Military Accounts Department will accept as sufficient authority for passing any allowances admissible in such cases.

The names of the officers so appointed should be entered in the return of Staff Officers furnished monthly to the †Adjutant General in India.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 8th October* 1889.

Attention is invited to special India Army Circular, dated 22nd August 1889, calling the attention of officers concerned to the provisions of clause 38, India Army Circulars, 1884, and of Article 276, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, under which officers appointed permanently to Civil or Political employ, the Police, the Public Works (including Telegraph), or Survey Department since the 1st April 1884, cease to be borne on the rolls of their regiments, and after 10 years' absence from military duty are placed on the supernumerary list.

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With reference to G.O.C.C.,‡ dated 18th July 1889, page 310, it is notified that the Government of India have been pleased to sanction the steamers of the Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's Steam Navigation Company, Limited, being placed provisionally for one year on the same footing as the steamers of the Peninsula and Oriental and certain other companies in respect to officers travelling by such steamers being exempted from the penalty attached to overstaying their furlough or leave out of India by reason of any delay in the arrival of the vessel in which they return to India, provided they take their passage in a steamer timed to arrive within the period of their leave.

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*Royal Engineers.*—With the sanction of Government, Lieutenant E. H. Bland, R.E., Queen's Own Sappers and Miners, is transferred to the Corps of Bengal Sappers and Miners.

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† Adjutant General, Madras Army. ‡ G.O.C. No. 325 of 1889, page 242.

**No. 458.**—The following extracts from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 11th October* 1889.

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463. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troopship "Serapis" on or about the 29th October 1889 :—

| Corps or Batteries. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. Wives. | Officers' Families. Children. | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Destination. | Remarks. |
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| "M" Battery, R. H. A. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 31 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Secunderabad. | |
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| Royal Artillery | 3 | 3 | 14 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 5 | (a) | |
| Various | 25 | | | 1 | 11 | 21 | ... | 7 | ... | ... | ... | 14 | 19 | (a) | |

(a) To join as ordered.

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466. The undermentioned Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and men obtained certificates at the 1st June course of instruction at the Army Veterinary School, Poona:—

Officers' Class.

*1st Class.*

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Lieutenant D. G. Stewart, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.

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**No. 459.**—Leave of absence:—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, for the period specified opposite their names:—

*1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment*—2nd Lieutenant F. L. Northcott, in extension, from the 24th September to the 28th November 1889, on medical certificate.

*2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.*—2nd Lieutenant P. S. Beves, in extension, from the 6th October 1889, to the 23rd March 1890, on medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon W. L. Lane, from the 29th September 1889, to date of re-embarkation for duty in India.

The undermentioned officer and warrant officer have leave of absence:—

*Royal Artillery.*—Lieutenant C. W. Clark, 79th Field Battery, to England, for six months, on medical certificate.

*Sub-Medical Department.*—2nd Grade Assistant Apothecary J. A. R. Pope, for sixty days, in extension of the leave granted him in G.O.C. No. 326 of 1889. India. Medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
1*st November* 1889.

**No. 460.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 4th and 8th October 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 31st ultimo.

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**No. 461.**—It is notified that Army Form B-169, Confidential Inspection Report, Infantry, has been revised. Copies will be issued from the Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund.

Particular attention is invited to G.O.C. No. 569 of 1887.

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**No. 462.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that 2nd Lieutenant F. A. Tighe, No. 16 Battery Southern Division Royal Artillery, has been transferred to No. 22 (Heavy) Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery, in room of Lieutenant J. G. Baldwin appointed to the Bombay Native Artillery.

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**No. 463.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that the transfer of 2nd Lieutenant W. W. C. D'O. Bignell, to No. 13 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery, is cancelled, and that Lieutenant T. E. W. Bidgood, has been posted to that battery instead of to No. 1 Battery Eastern Division Royal Artillery.

G.O.C. Nos. 431 and 451, dated respectively 11th and 25th October 1889, are hereby cancelled.

**No. 464.**—The name of Lieutenant W. S. Copland, 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment, is added to the list of officers detailed for duty with their regimental depôts, published in G.O.C. No. 357 of 1889, in lieu of Lieutenant Domenichetti.

*G.O.C. No.* 433 *of* 1889, *is hereby cancelled.*

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**No. 465.**—Colonel J. W. S. Butler, 26th Regiment Madras Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Examiner in Hindustani without prejudice to his Regimental duties, *vice* Colonel A. Curtois deceased. Dated 5th September 1889.

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**No. 466.**—With the approval of the Government of India the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointment :—

*District Staff.*—Colonel W. F. Gatacre, *D.S.O.*, Deputy Quarter Master General in India, to the Officiating Command of the Mandalay District during the absence on leave of Brigadier-General G. B. Wolseley, C.B., A.D.C. Dated 19th October 1889.

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**No. 467.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

"*Queen's Own*" *Sappers and Miners.*—Lieutenant T. Fraser, Royal Engineers, officiating company officer, to be company officer, *vice* Lieutenant Bland transferred to the Bengal Sappers and Miners. Dated 14th October 1889.

*Station Staff.*—Major F. H. Plowden, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, 2nd Class, Bangalore, with effect from the 20th October 1888.

Captain H. W. Smith, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, 3rd Class, Bernardmyo (Ruby Mines), *vice* Captain W. G. Wyld. Dated 26th March 1889.

2nd Lieutenant G. L. P. Clarke, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, Port Blair, temporarily, *vice* Lieutenant Smyth, no qualified officer being available. Dated 4th February 1889.

*3rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. G. Grey, South Lancashire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be wing officer (on probation). Dated 23rd October 1889,

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. M. M. Brooke, Essex Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 22nd October 1889.

*13th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain J. E. Preston, *D.S.O.*, wing officer, to be wing commander, to fill an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant A. H. Allenby, wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, to be wing officer, *vice* Captain Preston promoted.

*29th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain H. S. Hudson, wing officer, to be wing commander, *vice* Colonel Woodhouse appointed second in command.

*30th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Captain T. W. J. M. Georges, wing officer, to be wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Tufnell seconded for employment as Adjutant, Madras Volunteer Guards.

*31st Regiment Light Infantry.*—Captain H. A. B. Boulderson, second in command, sub. *pro tem.*, to be second in command, *vice* Colonel Hutchins (seconded) transferred to 33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.

Captain G. C. Atkinson, wing officer, to be wing commander, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Captain Prichard seconded for employment on the Staff.

*33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Colonel A. G. Hutchins, second in command, 31st Regiment Light Infantry, to be second in command, to fill an existing vacancy, but to remain seconded for employment on the Staff.

Captain J. H. H. Ansley, wing commander, to be second in command, sub. *pro tem.*, *vice* Colonel Hutchins seconded.

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**No. 468.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon-Major J. Martin, doing general duty Madras District, to be Senior Medical Officer of the Station Hospital, Wellington. To travel at the public expense, under para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

**No. 469.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla, 10th October 1889.*

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :

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*2nd Punjab Infantry.*

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Lieutenant A. L. Harries, supernumerary on the establishment of the regiment, to be Wing Officer, *vice* Allen. Dated 5th September 1889.

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to sanction the following transfers on public grounds :—

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Honorary Major J. Angus, Paymaster, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, to be Paymaster of the 3rd Battalion Rifle Brigade, *vice* Captain Lindop.

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*Head Quarters, Simla, 10th October 1889.*

The following Notification is issued as to the conditions under which correspondence and parcels may be sent between India (including Burma) and the Chin-Lushai Expeditionary Force.

## FROM INDIA TO THE FIELD.

*Mode of addressing correspondence.*

Correspondence posted in India for delivery in the field should be addressed as follows :—

*For the Force operating from Burma.*

A. B.
Regiment, Battery, or office,
Chin-Lushai Expedition,
Burma Column.

*For the Force operating from Chittagong.*

A. B.
Regiment, Battery, or office,
Chin-Lushai Expedition;
Lushai Column.

No post-town should be added to the address, and special care should be taken to insert the Regiment or Battery with which the addressee is serving, or the special appointment which he may hold with the force and to specify the proper column to which he is attached.

*What may be sent.*

Unregistered letters, postcards, newspapers, book-packets and parcels (private and service) may be posted in India for delivery in the field. Full prepayment of postage is compulsory. Delivery will be made through orderlies.

*Parcels.*

Parcels will be delivered through the Transport Department. The Post Office will forward parcels from India to the Base Offices at Gangaw (for the Burma Column) and Demagri (for the Lushai Column) and its responsibility will cease there.

*No Registration, Insurance or Money Orders.*

Letters cannot be registered, nor can letters or parcels be insured for despatch from India to the field. Money Orders will not be issued in favor of payees in the field.

## FROM THE FIELD TO INDIA.

*What may be sent.*

Unregistered letters, postcards and book-packets may be posted to addressees in India. Prepayment of postage is optional. No registered or insured letters or ordinary or insured parcels will be accepted for despatch.

*Money Orders.*

Money Orders will be issued on India at inland rates of commission. Remittances by telegraphic Money Orders can also be sent on the ordinary conditions.

## FROM ONE FIELD POST OFFICE TO ANOTHER.

*What may be sent.*

Only unregistered letters, postcards, newspapers and book-packets may be posted at one Field Post Office for delivery from another Field Post Office. Full prepayment of postage is compulsory.

*Official Correspondence.*

From India to the Field must be fully prepaid. Service parcels can be sent.

From the Field to India need not be stamped. Postage at the prepaid rate will be charged on delivery in India. Service parcels cannot be sent.

From one Field Post Office to another will be delivered free if properly superscribed and franked. Service parcels cannot be sent.

Service stamps need not be carried by Officers proceeding on field service.

*Postage Stamps.*

Postage stamps, postcards and embossed envelopes can be purchased at any Field Post Office.

*Base Offices.*

The Base Offices at Gangaw and Demagri will not be Field Post Offices and all classes of correspondence, registered and insured letters and parcels, Value-payable articles and Money Orders can be exchanged with those offices under the ordinary conditions. Official correspondence and service parcels posted at the Base Offices for the Field must be fully prepaid; it will therefore be necessary for officers at these stations to supply themselves with service stamps.

**No. 470.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 18th October* 1889.

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478. The undermentioned are reported to have passed the required examination in the following languages, viz. :—

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PERSIAN—*Lower Standard.*

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Lieutenant A. G. Ferguson, Rifle Brigade, Aide-de-Camp to His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief.

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HINDUSTANI—*Lower Standard.*

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2nd Lieutenant C. J. Kendall, Leicester Regiment, attached 9th Bombay Infantry.

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**No. 471.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officer leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite his name :—

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Captain F. J. D. Lugard, *D.S.O.*, from the 1st October 1889 to the 20th February 1890, pending the return of his battalion to England.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Captain E. R. C. Graham, to England, for one year on urgent private affairs.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon A. E. Grant, general leave for 20 days, from the 5th November 1889 or date of departure, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. India. Private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Addenda.*—To G. O. C. No. 556 of 1888, directing Lieutenant Williams, then temporarily attached to the 27th Regiment Madras Infantry, to rejoin the 31st Regiment Light Infantry, add the following :—To travel at the public expense, under paras. 174 (*e*) and 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

To G.O.C. No. 137 of 1889, detailing certain officers to undergo a course of equitation at Bangalore, *add*—"On duty at the public expense, under Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II, para. 513 (*y*)."

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# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*1st November* 1889.

**No. 472.—Field Operations — Chin-Lushai. —** With reference to Proceedings of Madras Government No. 6897, dated 9th October 1889, the following officers are detailed for the Staff of the Force operating from Burma in connexion with the Chin-Lushai Expedition.

The appointments of these officers will have effect from the dates on which they respectively enter upon the duties thereof :—

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| To command ... | Brigadier-General W. P. Symons, 2nd Battalion South Wales Borderers, Commanding the Myingyan District. |
| Staff Officers ... | Captain H. W. Ind, Royal Artillery, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, Burma District.<br>Captain C. W. W. Burton, Madras Staff Corps, District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, Myingyan District. |
| Field Intelligence Officer | Lieutenant E. W. M. Norie, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment. |
| Chief Commissariat Officer. | Captain A. H. Clark-Kennedy, Madras Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary General. |

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| Assistant Commissariat Officers. | Lieutenant C. C. Tennant, Madras Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General.<br>Lieutenant F. H. S. Thomas, Madras Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General.<br>Lieutenant E. Y. Watson, Madras Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General.<br>Honorary Lieutenant J. A. Dickson, Commissariat Department. |
| Transport Officers ... | Lieutenant A. H. Morris, 2nd Battalion The Royal Irish Regiment.<br>*Lieutenant R. A. Smyth, 2nd Battalion The Royal Irish Regiment.<br>Lieutenant S. L. Aplin, Madras Staff Corps.<br>*Lieutenant H. Ross-Johnson, 2nd Battalion The King's (Liverpool Regiment).<br>*Lieutenant L. W. Brackenbury, 44th Regiment (Goorkha Light Infantry). |
| Superintendents of Army Signalling. | Captain E. D. Pickard-Cambridge, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.<br>Captain G. de W. Verner, 1st Battalion The King's Own Scottish Borderers. |
| Assistant Superintendents of Army Signalling. | Lieutenant E. H. Swayne, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.<br>Lieutenant H. P. Hancox, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. |
| Orderly Officer ... | Will be nominated by Brigadier-General Symons. |
| Principal Medical Officer | Brigade Surgeon F. Howard, M.D., Medical Staff. |

* To be employed with Coolie Corps.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*8th November* 1889.

**No. 473.**—The Commander-in-Chief will proceed to Madras on the 17th instant, accompanied by the Adjutant General, Quarter Master General, Military Secretary and an Aide-de-Camp and will return to Ootacamund on the 24th idem.

2. All correspondence for Adjutant General, Quarter Master General and Military Secretary will as usual be addressed to Ootacamund.

3. Urgent letters and telegrams for His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and the Military Secretary should be addressed to Madras.

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**No. 474.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 11th and 15th October 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 7th instant.

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**No. 475.**—Officers Commanding British and Native Corps, and Batteries of Royal Artillery, are directed to furnish the Inspector General of Ordnance, Madras, on the 1st December next, with a statement showing the number and description of arms and accoutrements with which their respective corps are equipped.

2. Officers Commanding corps, &c., who have been instructed to demand, but have not yet received Mackenzie or other new equipment, should note the same on the statement.

**No. 476.**—The following transfer to the Pension Establishment is ordered :—

| Corps. | Rank and Name. | | Regimental Number. | Decision of Government. | From what date to be struck off. | From what date to be received on the Pension Establishment. | Where stationed at present. | Station or Corps selected to reside. | Remarks. |
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| His Excellency the Governor's Band. | Private & Senior Musician. | William Nagle ... | 49 | One shilling per diem. | 31st October 1889. | 1st November 1889. | Madras. | Madras. | |

**No. 477.**—Army Schoolmistress Mrs. E. Hibbert, attached to the 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, is permitted to resign her appointment and to be placed on the Unemployed List, on the departure of the families of that Battalion for Burmah.

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**No. 478.**—The following transfers are ordered :—

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| Army Schoolmaster T. H. Dimick. | Garrison School, Toungoo. | 21st Hussars. | To join on being relieved by Schoolmaster Smythe. |
| Army Schoolmaster J. Smythe Army Schoolmistress A. K. Smythe. | Royal Artillery, Secunderabad. | Garrison School, Toungoo. | To join on being relieved by Schoolmaster Wood, and Schoolmistress Bird. |
| Army Schoolmistress M. Mullins. | Garrison School, Toungoo. | 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | To join on the arrival of the families of 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, at Toungoo. |
| Army Schoolmaster H. Wood. | Royal Artillery, St. Thomas' Mount. | Royal Artillery, Secunderabad. | To join at once. |
| Army Schoolmaster G. Shaw. | 21st Hussars. | Royal Artillery, St. Thomas' Mount. | To join on being relieved by Schoolmaster Dimick. |
| Army Schoolmistress L. Bird. | Unemployed List. | Royal Artillery, Secunderabad. | To join at once. |

**No. 479.**—It is notified that in future the Annual Confidential Reports on Officers of the Army Pay Department should be rendered on Army Form C-306, and not on Army Form B-194—5.

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**No. 480.**—It is notified that Riding Master J. Thome, Royal Artillery, arrived at Secunderabad from England on the 1st November 1889, for duty with the Royal Artillery, Secunderabad District.

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**No. 481.**—Surgeon Major R. V. Power, M.D., Indian Medical Service, in medical charge, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, and at present attached to the "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners, is directed to rejoin his own regiment.

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**No. 482.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, of the following postings, &c., of Royal Artillery Officers :—

Major H. B. Jeffreys, just promoted to that rank from the 32nd Field Battery, has been posted to No. 1 Battery Eastern Division.

Captain S. E. G. Lawless, just promoted to that rank from N Battery Royal Horse Artillery, has been posted to the 39th Field Battery.

Lieutenant E. P. Lambert, 74th Field Battery, has been appointed to N Battery Royal Horse Artillery, *vice* Lieutenant Lawless.

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**No. 483.**—The following are the winners of the Madras Presidency and Provincial Volunteer Medals for the season 1888-89 :—

*Presidency Medal.*

Corporal E. L. D'Costa, Madras Volunteer Guards, 70 points.

*Provincial Medal.*

Quarter Master Sergeant G. H. White, Godaveri Rifle Volunteers, 64 points.

**No. 484.**—The undermentioned officers have passed the Transport Departmental Examination under the provisions of paras. 1808 and 1810, Army Regulations, India, Vol. V, Supplement, as modified by clause 80, India Army Circulars of 1888 :—

Lieutenant T. G. C. Reynolds, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

Lieutenant B. R. Liebert, 7th Hussars.

2nd Lieutenant E. A. S. Ely, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant J. J. B. Jones-Parry, 1st Battalion, Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.

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**No. 485.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*Secunderabad, 21st October* 1889.

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| Colonel R. L. H. Curteis, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment. | Higher Standard. |
| Captain N. A. Bray, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. | |
| Lieutenant T. G. C. Reynolds ,, ,, | |
| ,, C. E. Hendley, Staff Corps ... ... | |
| ,, R. C. Cockerill ,, ... ... | |
| 2nd Lieutenant E. A. R. Howell, 6th Dragoon Guards, Probationer Staff Corps. | |
| Captain R. Percy-Smith, Royal Artillery ... | High Proficiency. |

*7th October* 1889.

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| *Bernardmyo.* | |
| 2nd Lieutenant G. W. Johnson, King's Own Scottish Borderers, Probationer Staff Corps. | Lower Standard. |
| Surgeon J. Donaldson, Medical Staff ... ... | |
| *Bellary.* | |
| Lieutenant W. M. Grover, Royal Artillery ... ... | |
| ,, H. L. Tennant ,, ... ... | |
| 2nd Lieutenant A. M. Anderson, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, Probationer, Staff Corps. | |

*Secunderabad.*

Surgeon B. J. Inniss, Medical Staff ... ...

2nd Lieutenant A. B. Dew, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

„ B. Scott, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Probationer, Staff Corps.

Schoolmaster R. M. Ginn, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

Private W. Quinton, „ „

Lance-Corporal W. J. Clarke, „ „

*Bangalore.*

2nd Lieutenant W. D. Waghorn, Royal Engineers ...

Lieutenant E. W. Margesson, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

Corporal, No. 2286, A. Stanton, 21st Hussars ...

Private, No. 2763, D. A. G. Campbell, „ ...

Corporal, No. 18369, A. Terris, Royal Engineers ...

*Wellington.*

Band Master E. Sharpe, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment,

Lance-Corporal, No. 543, G. Moore, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

*Malapuram.*

Corporal, No. 1486, M. Clunan, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

*Belgaum.*

Captain G. H. McLaughlin, Royal Artillery ...

Gunner A. Fletcher, „ ...

*Cuttack.*

Lieutenant E. W. Harris, North Staffordshire Regiment Probationer, Staff Corps.

2nd Lieutenant H. I. L'Estrange, Leinster Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

} Lower Standard.

*Port Blair.*

Lieutenant R. W. A. Denne, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Probationer, Staff Corps.

2nd Lieutenant G. L. P. Clarke, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.

Sergeant J. Tocher, Madras Commissariat Department.

*Mandalay.*

2nd Lieutenant E. P. Strickland, 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

,, H. M. Peak, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

Lieutenant A. P. D. C. Stuart, East Yorkshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

2nd Lieutenant C. W. G. Richardson, 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

Lieutenant J. W. Orchard, Bedfordshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Toungoo.*

Lieutenant C. H. Williams, Yorkshire Light Infantry, Probationer, Staff Corps.

2nd Lieutenant H. M. Biddulph, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.

*Bhamo.*

Captain R. P. Macdonald, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

Surgeon P. C. H. Strickland, Indian Medical Service ...

*Shwebo.*

Lance-Corporal, No. 2741, F. Hann, 1st Battalion Hampshire Regiment.

} Lower Standard.

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**No. 486.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments:—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant A. W. Newbold, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, Trichoor, and in charge of pensioners and holders of family certificates at that station, *vice* Lieutenant H. E. Pritchard relieved. Dated 12th October 1889.

*2nd Madras Lancers.*—Lieutenant F. Jollie, 20th Hussars, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps to be officiating squadron officer (on probation). Dated 23rd October 1889.

*4th Regiment "Prince of Wales' Own" Light Cavalry.*—2nd Lieutenant B. J. Petre, 18th Hussars, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating Squadron officer (on probation). Dated 26th October 1889.

*26th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. R. Troup, South Lancashire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 26th October 1889.

*31st Regiment Light Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant J. Stapylton, York and Lancaster Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 21st October 1889.

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**No. 487.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Head Quarters, Simla*, 16*th October* 1889.

Under instructions from Government, the attention of Officers Commanding British Corps is called to the following clause of para. 463, Section XII, War Office, Financial Instructions 1886, which is applicable to India :

"(1) When a soldier is in debt either to the Officer Commanding or to the public the issue of cash to him should not exceed one penny a day, except in special cases at the discretion of the Officer Commanding."

2. This rule should be observed in future and men in debt should be restricted to a penny a day until their debt is liquidated.

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The following Army Order, dated War Office, 1st August 1889, is republished for information :

*A. O. 339.—Staff College—Entrance Examination.*

1. At the examination for admission to the Staff College to be held in June 1890, questions in Military History will be set as follows :

(*a*) On the principles of strategy as explained and illustrated in "The Operations of War," Parts I to V.

(*b*) On the Campaigns in Northern Italy and in Virginia. Sir E. B. Hamley's accounts of these campaigns should be taken as the basis for their study.

2. In order to test the candidates' powers of independent and original thought, the paper will include questions on the operations in the campaigns above indicated, based on a supposition that they were conducted in a manner different from that in which they were actually carried out.

3. Candidates are recommended to obtain the Report on the Staff College Entrance Examination of 1889, as soon as it is published.

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The following officers and non-commissioned officers (British and Native) underwent a course of instruction at the recent classes held at the undermentioned schools of musketry in India, and have qualified as shown below :

*Chungla Gully School.*

Obtained " *extra* certificates of musketry."

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Captain C. L. Woollcombe ... { 1st Battalion King's own Scottish Borderers.

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Lieut. W. Kirkpatrick ... Madras Staff Corps.
" A. Nicholls ... " "
" E. W. S. K. Maconchy ... " "

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*Pachmarhi School.*

Obtained " *extra* certificates of musketry."

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Lieut. J. T. Carter ... Leicestershire Regiment.

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Obtained " Certificates of qualification for the appointment of *Sergeant Instructor in Musketry to a regiment or battalion.*"

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Color Sergeant J. Wardell ... { 1st Battalion King's own Scottish Borderers.

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Obtained " *Certificates of qualification in musketry.*"

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Jemadar Narain Swamy ... 5th Madras Infantry.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 21st October* 1889.

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Attention is invited to Army Order No. 335, dated War Office 1st July 1889, publishing the "Physical Drill with Arms and Bayonet Exercise, 1889," in substitution of section 11 of the "Manual Exercises for the Rifle and Carbine and Bayonet Exercises, 1885."

2. Copies of the "Physical Drill" will shortly be issued to all concerned.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 22nd October* 1889.

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The following extract from a letter from the Adjutant General to the Forces, Horse Guards, No. $\frac{107}{\text{Genl. No.}}$ / 769, dated 3rd August 1889, is republished for information and guidance :—

"I have the honor by direction of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief to inform you that the time is approaching when the possession of a School of Musketry certificate will be considered a necessary qualification for a subaltern officer before promotion to the rank of Captain.

"In the selection therefore of officers to join these schools, preference should be given, as far as possible, to senior Lieutenants who have not yet obtained certificates."

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The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to sanction the following transfer :

*Army Pay Department.*—Major J. C. T. Humfrey, Paymaster, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be Paymaster of the 2nd Battalion the West Yorkshire Regiment.

(The above cancels that portion of G. O. C. C., dated 25th July last, page 319,† transferring Major Humfrey to the 1st King's Dragoon Guards, and G. O. C. C., dated 27th August, page 368,‡ directing that officer to remain with his present Battalion until arrival of the 1st King's Dragoon Guards at Muttra.)

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†G.O.C. No. 339 of 1889, page 251. ‡G.O.C. No. 384 of 1889, page 280.

The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant :—

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| 2nd Lieutenant J. A. Stewart | ... | Royal Artillery. |
| " " W. F. A. Hopkins | ... | " " |
| " " A. Ward | ... | Leicestershire Regt. |
| " " E. W. Verner | ... | Norfolk Regiment. |
| " " W. R. Brakspear | ... | " " |

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**No. 488.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite their names :—

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel D. Bond, from the 17th October 1889 to 3rd February 1890. On medical certificate.

Captain H. C. Perkins, from 17th November 1889 to 7th April 1890. On medical certificate.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon W. B. Day, from the 12th October 1889, to date of re-embarkation for India. On medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer and warrant officer have leave of absence :—

*Royal Artillery.*—2nd Lieutenant W. F. A. Hopkins, No. 21 Battery, Eastern Division, to England, for six months, on medical certificate.

*Barrack Department.*—Conductor M. Shea, for 180 days, from the 15th July 1889 or date of departure under Rule X, Furlough Regulations of 1875. India. Medical Certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*8th November* 1889.

**No. 489.**—A General Court-Martial under the provisions of the 97th Indian Article of War will assemble at Bangalore, under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Bangalore District, for the trial of all such prisoners as may be brought before it.

By Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*8th November* 1889.

**No. 490.**—A Native General Court Martial will assemble at Bangalore, under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Bangalore District, for the trial of all such prisoners as may be brought before it.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*15th November* 1889.

**No. 491.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 18th and 22nd October 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 14th instant.

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**No. 492.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster, Lance Naigue No. 3105, Appulsawmy of the 33rd Regiment Madras Infantry, attached to the 26th Regiment Madras Infantry, in G.O.C. No. 438, dated 19th October 1888, is permanently transferred to the latter corps.

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**No. 493.**—The Horse Guards having notified that Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel J. C. Auchinleck, Royal Horse Artillery, will be placed upon half pay on the 20th November 1889, on completion of 5 years' service as a Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, he is permitted to proceed to England, travelling at the public expense, under para. 223 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part I, and para. 512 (*r*), Part II.

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**No. 494.**—With reference to G. O. C. Nos. 489 and 490 of 1889, Colonel C. R. Matthews, Deputy Judge Advocate General, Head Quarters and 1st Circle, is appointed Judge Advocate of the Courts Martial therein ordered.

Colonel Matthews will travel to and fro on duty at the public expense, under para. 513 (*d*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

**No. 495.**—Lieutenant A. W. N. Taylor, wing officer, 20th Regiment Madras Infantry, at present attached to the 8th Regiment Madras Infantry, is directed to rejoin his own regiment for duty.

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**No. 496.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Burmese according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*Mandalay,* 1*st October* 1889.

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| Lieutenant E. W. M. Norie, 2nd Battalion Middlesex Regiment. | Lower Standard. |
| Surgeon H. M. Hakim, Indian Medical Service ... | Elementary Standard. |

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**No. 497.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed the Higher Standard test in Hindustani :—

21*st October* 1889.

*Madras.*

Lieutenant E. W. A. Firth, Bedfordshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.
,, H. E. Williams, Staff Corps.
,, K. J. G. Dunolly, ,,

*Trichinopoly.*

Lieutenant C. T. Swan, Staff Corps.
,, G. V. Holmes, Staff Corps.

*Kamptee.*

Lieutenant C. E. N. Priestley, Staff Corps.

*Bangalore.*

Lieutenant A. S. Arnold, 18th Hussars, Probationer, Staff Corps.

2nd Lieutenant W. L. Fair, Wiltshire Regiment, Probationer, Staff Corps.
,, A. S. Crum, 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry.
,, R. W. C. Keays, Somersetshire Light Infantry, Probationer, Staff Corps.

*Belgaum.*

2nd Lieutenant E. H. R. C. R. Platt, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.

*Bellary.*

Surgeon J. W. Cockerill, Medical Staff.

*Rangoon.*

Lieutenant M. R. Hurly, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Probationer, Staff Corps.

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**No. 498.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Major F. F. Johnstone, 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment, to be Station Staff Officer, 2nd Class, Secunderabad (temporarily), *vice* Captain Pickard-Cambridge, relieved, there being no other qualified officer available. Dated 1st November 1889.

Lieutenant J. W. Drever, 33rd Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, Port Blair, *vice* 2nd Lieutenant G. L. P. Clarke relieved. Dated 21st October 1889.

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant L. W. Y. Campbell, wing officer, 25th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Adjutant. Dated 14th October 1889.

Lieutenant Campbell will be graded regimentally next below Lieutenant Cooke.

*28th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant J. J. P. Quinn, Royal Berkshire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 26th October 1889.

2nd Lieutenant J. E. R. Brush, Royal Irish Fusiliers, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 1st November 1889.

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**No. 499.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*10th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Dale, second in command, 1st Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), to be officiating Commandant till further orders.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon W. L. Lane, M.B., on arrival from England, to do duty Station Hospital, Bellary.

Surgeon G. F. Poynder, on arrival from England, to do duty Belgaum and Bangalore Districts. To travel at the public expense, under clause (*b*), para. 511, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 500.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 24th October* 1889.

The Commander-in-Chief in India is pleased to make the following appointments :

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*3rd Sikh Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant C. H. Davies, Cheshire Regiment, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be officiating Wing Officer on probation. Dated 1st September 1889.

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Captain :

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Lieutenant C. H. Ford ... ... Royal Artillery.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 28th October* 1889.

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It having been brought to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief that officers arrive at the ports of embarkation without being in possession of three copies of the order permitting them to leave India, made out on India Army Form 109 or 110 (as the case may be), as required by paras. 1608 and 1609, Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, His Excellency directs the attention of General Officers Commanding to the regulations on this subject.

2. The attention of officers concerned is also invited to the fact that, unless they are furnished with three copies of the order above referred to, they are liable to be detained at the port of embarkation, until such time as the necessary documents have been procured from their regiments or the local staff officer of the station which they quit.

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With a view to prevent delay in the issue of good shooting badges, Officers Commanding Corps are authorised to submit to the Superintendent, Army Clothing, supplementary requisitions for the badges wanted for the annual musketry course for the seasons 1889-90 and 1890-91, as soon as they are required for issue. Demands for all future supplies commencing with the year 1891-92 are to be included in the annual indents for clothing due on the 1st January in each year.

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Captain A. G. H. Gardner, Paymaster, 1st Battalion Suffolk Regiment, having resigned his appointment in the Army Pay Department, is under instructions from the Horse Guards directed to join the 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment at Rangoon, at his own expense, for duty pending absorption.

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The undermentioned officers of the Royal Artillery will proceed to England for the purpose of joining the School of Gunnery at Shoeburyness, *viz.*:

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Captain A. E. A. Butcher, No. 21 Battery, Eastern Division (late No. 7 Battery 1st Brigade, Cinque Ports Division).

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2. These officers are available for duty with troops on the voyage home, and on arrival should report themselves to the Deputy Adjutant General, Royal Artillery, Horse Guards, War Office, by the 1st January 1890.

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**No. 501.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona,* 1st *November* 1889.

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511. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troopship "Euphrates," on or about the 14th November 1889 :—

| CORPS OR BATTERIES. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. Wives. | Officers' Families. Children. | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Destination. | REMARKS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *From England.* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 2nd Somersetshire L. I. ............ | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 2 | ... | 143 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | Belgaum. | |
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| 1st K. O. Scottish Borderers... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (a) | |
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| 1st Duke of Cornwall's L. I. ...... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | 137 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | Bellary. | |
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| *From Malta.* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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(a) To join as ordered.

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**No. 502.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment.*—Lieutenant C. R. J. Griffith, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*Coorg and Mysore Rifles.*—Lieutenant A. F. Clifford, to Europe, for one year, on private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Corrigendum.*—In G. O. C. No. 473 of 1889, second line, *for* "17th instant," *read* "15th instant."

*Erratum.*—In G. O. C. No. 480 of 1889, in the first line, *for* "Riding Master J. Thome," *read* "Riding Master J. Thorne."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*22nd November* 1889.

**No. 503.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 25th and 29th October 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 21st instant.

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**No. 504.**—The undermentioned native officers and non-commissioned officers having undergone a course of instruction at the School of Musketry, Secunderabad, have obtained certificates of qualification in Musketry :—

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| Jemadar Subder Khan ... | ... 2nd Regiment Madras Infantry. |
| Havildar Syed Booden ... | ... ,, ,, |
| ,, Moothiah ... | ... 6th ,, ,, |
| Jemadar Paul Sebastian | ... 8th ,, ,, |
| ,, Mahomed Ukber | ... 11th ,, ,, |
| ,, Ramasawmy ... | ... 12th ,, ,, |
| ,, Saiyid Umar ... | ... 13th ,, ,, |
| Havildar Adam Khan ... | ... 15th ,, ,, |
| ,, Nursimooloo ... | ... 17th ,, ,, |
| Jemadar Syed Jelaul ... | ... 21st ,, ,, |
| ,, Chellumbrum | ... 23rd Regiment Madras Light Infantry. |
| Havildar Ahbeeb Khan... | ... ,, ,, |
| Havildar-Major Narrainsawmy | .. 25th Regiment Madras Infantry. |
| ,, ,, Soobaraya Moodaliar ... | ... 26th ,, ,, |

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| Jemadar Ismail Khan ... | ... 28th Regiment Madras Infantry. |
| Havildar Coopoosawmy | ... 28th ,, ,, |
| Subadar Mootoosawmy ... | ... 30th ,, ,, |
| Havildar Shaik Esoof ... | ... 30th ,, ,, |
| Jemadar Matadin Pande | ... 6th Infantry Hyderabad Contingent. |
| Havildar Mahomed Hussain | ... ,, ,, |

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**No. 505.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the name of 2nd Lieutenant F. H. Cripps-Day, 21st Hussars, is added to the list of officers detailed for duty with their regimental depôts, published in G.O.C. No. 357 of 1889, in lieu of Lieutenant D. Bowly.

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**No. 506.**—Lieutenant E. W. Harris, wing officer (on probation), 3rd Regiment Light Infantry, and at present attached to the 5th Regiment Madras Infantry, is directed to rejoin his own regiment for duty. Travelling on duty at the public expense, under para. 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 507.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*5th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant K. J. G. Dunolly, wing officer (sub. *pro tem.*), to be wing officer, *vice* Captain MacMahon transferred.

*10th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant N. M. C. Stevens, Bedfordshire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 11th November 1889.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. F. Johnson, 2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry, to be wing officer, sub. *pro tem.* and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 11th November 1889.

*24th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant J. C. Sherer, Dorsetshire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 3rd November 1889.

**No. 508.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major C. H. Swayne, doing duty Madras District, to do duty Secunderabad District. To travel at the public expense, under para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

Surgeon W. B. Day, M.B., on arrival from England, to do duty Station Hospital, Bangalore.

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**No. 509.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 21st October* 1889.

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It having been brought to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief that deserters from the Active Service troops and other Regiments of Native States have in certain instances been enlisted in Regiments of the Native Army, His Excellency directs that more stringent measures be taken in future with reference to Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, Part II, para. 2188, to guard against the enlistment in our Armies of such deserters.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 31st October* 1889.

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It is notified for information that the Government of India has approved of the towels manufactured by the Cawnpore Cotton Mills being in future procured at a price not exceeding Rs. 3 per dozen, for issue to the British troops in India, as an article of regimental necessaries, in lieu of the towels at present obtained from England.

Military Department letter No. 4241, dated 4th October 1889.

Batteries and Regiments requiring towels will obtain them by indent direct on the Mills, and payment for them will also be made direct to the Mills.

General Officers Commanding are requested to be good enough to give the necessary orders for applications from officers desirous of competing for entrance to the Staff College next June reaching the Adjutant General's Office, *Simla*,† not later than the *15th February 1890*, after which date no applications will be considered.

2. Referring to Queen's Regulations, section IX, paras. 2 and 9, great trouble and delay being occasioned by the necessary certificates not being worded according to the terms laid down in para. 2, General Officers Commanding Districts will be good enough to cause the certificates to be compared with the above quoted para. and to be sent back for correction if necessary before forwarding the applications to the Adjutant General's Office, Simla.†

3. The following points should also be attended to:

(*a*) Each officer's application should be submitted separately, and it should be stated whether he wishes to be examined in India or in England.

(*b*) A certificate as to service (section IX, para. 2 (*a*), Queen's Regulations) should invariably accompany each application.

(*c*) The medical certificate should be from a Medical *Board*.

(*d*) Certificates (*e*), para. 2, section IX, Queen's Regulations, must be rendered *separately and independently* by the Officer Commanding and the *two next senior* officers of the Regiment or Battalion. If the two next senior officers do not render the certificate, an explanation of the reason should be attached.

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The Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to make the following appointments:

Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Sheppard, Madras Staff Corps, to officiate as Assistant Judge Advocate General, 7th Circle, with effect from the 16th October 1889.

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The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant:

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2nd Lieut. E. A. S. Ely ... Bedfordshire Regiment.
" " B. Scott ... Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

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† Ootacamund for officers serving in the Madras Command.

**No. 510.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, for the period specified opposite their names :—

*2nd Battalion Somersetshire Light Infantry.*—Captain G. H. H. Couchman, *D.S.O.*, in extension, from the 5th November 1889 to the 17th January 1890, on medical certificate.

*4th Battalion Rifle Brigade.*—Major C. H. St. Paul, from the 19th December 1889, pending the return of the Battalion to England.

Captain C. R. Hunter, from the 21st December 1889, pending the return of the Battalion to England.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Staff Corps.*—Lieutenant H. W. Johnston, Staff Corps, wing officer, 7th Regiment Madras Infantry, general leave for 90 days, from the 15th October 1889 or date of departure, under the Leave Rules for the Staff Corps. India. Medical certificate.

*Royal Artillery.*—2nd Lieutenant F. Lyon, 21st Field Battery, to England, for six months, on medical certificate.

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Lieutenant D. K. Presgrave, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Addendum.*—To so much of G.O.C. No. 398 of 1889, as refers to Captain H. Elston, 30th Regiment Madras Infantry, *add:*— "The first 90 days on full pay and allowances, under Subsidiary Rule III and Article 633, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I."

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*29th November* 1889.

**No. 511.**—Army Head Quarters will be established at Madras on the 7th proximo.

All official and non-official letters and telegrams whether urgent or otherwise for His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and the Military Secretary should be addressed to Madras.

All official correspondence for the Adjutant General and Assistant Adjutant General, Royal Artillery, will as usual be addressed to Ootacamund.

Correspondence for the Quarter Master General will be addressed as directed in his Circular Memorandum No. 4282-A of the 23rd instant to General Officers Commanding Districts.

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**No. 512.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 1st and 5th November 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 28th instant.

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**No. 513.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following transfer and posting of Royal Artillery Officers :—

Major H. W. Brackenbury, No. 22 (Heavy) Battery Eastern Division, has been transferred to the 79th Field Battery.

Captain J. L. Smith has been posted to No. 22 (Heavy) Battery Eastern Division.

**No. 514.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*16th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant F. H. Johnstone, Northamptonshire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 16th November 1889.

2nd Lieutenant C. V. N. Lyne, Liverpool Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 19th November 1889.

*20th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant J. S. Hodding, South Staffordshire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 1st November 1889.

*23rd Regiment Light Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant J. S. Dallas, Royal West Kent Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 18th November 1889.

*25th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant F. H. Pigou, Hampshire Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 19th November 1889.

*32nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant S. R. Stevens, wing officer (sub. *pro tem.*), to be wing officer, *vice* Lieutenant Tennant, transferred permanently to the Commissariat Transport Department.

*Medical Staff.*—Brigade-Surgeon E. C. Markey, Senior Medical Officer, South Station Hospital, Secunderabad, to be Principal Medical Officer of the Burma Column of the Chin Lushai Expedition, *vice* Brigade-Surgeon F. Howard, M.D. To travel at the public expense, under paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 515.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following posting :—

*Indian Medical Service.*—Deputy Surgeon General W. F. deFabeck, M.D., now at Madras to take administrative medical charge of the Myingyan and Mandalay Districts.

To travel at the public expense, under para. 175 (*d*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part I.

**No. 516.**—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 29th October 1889, page 5721, is republished :—

*War Office, October* 29, 1889.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross upon the undermentioned officer of Her Majesty's Army, whose claim has been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for his conspicuous bravery during the attack on the village of Tartan, Upper Burma, by a Column of the Chin Field Force, on the 4th May, 1889, as recorded against his name :—

| Department. | Name. | Act of Courage for which recommended. |
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| Medical Staff. | Surgeon Ferdinand Simeon Le Quesne. | Displayed conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty during the attack on the village of Tartan, by a Column of the Chin Field Force, on the 4th May last, in having remained for the space of about ten minutes, in a very exposed position (within five yards of the loop-holed stockade from which the enemy were firing), dressing with perfect coolness and self-possession the wounds from which Second Lieutenant Michel, Norfolk Regiment, shortly afterwards died. Surgeon Le Quesne was himself severely wounded later on whilst attending to the wounds of another Officer. |

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**No. 517.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 6th November* 1889.

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It is notified for information that until further orders, the cost of duplicate war decorations, to whomever issued, will be recovered at the annual official rate of exchange.

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It is notified that a revised edition of the "Field Service Manual—Discipline" has been approved by Government, and copies will shortly be distributed to all concerned by the Superintendent, Government Printing. Care is to be taken that the copies of the Manual now in possession, entitled "Rules and Regulations for Provost Marshals, Military Police, &c., on Field Service" are destroyed on receipt of the new Manual.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 6th November* 1889.

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Officers Commanding British Corps are requested when submitting applications to write off, as a charge against the State, sums of money due from soldiers becoming non-effective, to attach thereto copies of receipts obtained from the men for articles of clothing and necessaries issued to them and which are included in their non-effective accounts.

They will also append a certificate that the man in question has been only supplied with such necessaries as are absolutely required by regulations.

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In continuation of G. O. C. C., page 388† of 1889, the undermentioned officers qualified as noted opposite their names, at the examinations, held on the 16th July 1889, and following days:

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| Lieutenant F. W. Marshall | King's Own Scottish Borderers. | Examination in (*c*) and (*d*), Section IX, para. 39 (III), Queen's Regulations. Qualified for the rank of Captain. |

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 12th November* 1889.

The attention of Officers Commanding Native Corps is invited to para. 10 of India Army Circular, clause 115 of 1838, directing the submission of rolls of Native soldiers recommended for the grant of good conduct medals with annuity, with gratuity and without gratuity, on the 1st January each year. Recommendations for 1890 should not be delayed beyond the above date.

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† G. O. C. No. 422 of 1889, page 307.

Military Department letter No. 4477-D, dated 18th October 1889.

Under instructions from the Government of India it is notified that in future, when new scrolls have to be added to old regimental colors, the Officer Commanding the Regiment should accompany his requisition by a pattern of the exact size of those on the existing color, and indicate the color of the scrolls and letters, to preserve uniformity as much as possible, and to serve as a guide to the contractor in their preparation.

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The undermentioned officer is qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant :

2nd Lieutenant W. Beadon ... King's Own Scottish Borderers.

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The undermentioned have been declared by the Board of Examiners, Calcutta, to have passed the Higher Standard in Hindustani, agreeably to section 24, Army Regulations, India, vol. II :

*7th October* 1889.

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Lieut. R. E. Vaughan ... Norfolk Regiment, Probationer, Bengal Staff Corps.

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**No. 518.**—Leave of absence :—

Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards, that His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to grant the undermentioned officers leave of absence, in extension, for the period specified opposite their names :—

*2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment.*—Lieutenant G. Head, from the 5th to the 30th November 1889, pending decision on his application to exchange into the 1st Battalion of his regiment.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major H. W. A. Mackinnon, *D.S.O.*, from the 18th November 1889 to date of re-embarkation for duty in India.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon A. Asbury, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Corrigendum.*—In G. O. C. No. 391 of 1889, opposite 24th Madras Infantry, *for* "Lower Burma," *read* "Thayetmyo," as destination of Regiment.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*29th November* 1889.

**No. 519.**—At a General Court Martial held at Bangalore on the 16th day of November 1889, under the provisions of the 97th Indian Article of War, No. 2460, Private Moothoochuppany, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Poineers), was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Joining a Mutiny in a detachment,

in that,

at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, when one of a detachment of his Regiment under orders to proceed to the Peryar he with other sepoys left the ranks when fallen in to march on the order to march being given.

*Second Charge.*—Disobeying the lawful command of his superior officer,

in that,

at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, he disobeyed the lawful command of his superior officer Subadar Sungalee of same Regiment "left turn quick march" by not turning to the left and not marching.

*Third Charge.*—Disobeying the lawful command of his superior officer,

in that,

at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, he disobeyed the lawful command of his superior officer Lieutenant Charles Tarrant Swan of the same Regiment "left turn quick march" by not turning to the left, and at the same time stepping back and saying "I want to march with my company" or words to that effect.

FINDING.

The Court finds that the prisoner, No. 2460, Private Moothoochuppany, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is guilty of all the charges.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentences the prisoner, No. 2460, Private Moothoochuppany, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), to suffer a corporal punishment of fifty (50) lashes.

Signed at Bangalore this sixteenth day of November 1889.

E. H. EYRE, COLONEL,
*1st Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers),*
*President.*

CONFIRMED.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, LIEUT.-GENL.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

OOTACAMUND,
*November 27th*, 1889.

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(2.) At a General Court Martial held at Bangalore on the 16th day of November 1889, under the provisions of the 97th Indian Article of War, No. 1992, Private Moonisawmy, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Joining a mutiny in a detachment,
in that,
at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, when one of a detachment of his Regiment under orders to march to the Peryar he with other sepoys of the detachment left the ranks when fallen in to march on the order to march being given.

*Second Charge.*—Exciting a mutiny in a detachment,
in that,
at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, when one of a detachment of his Regiment under orders to march to the Peryar, whilst Subadar Sungalee of the same Regiment was taking down the names of the men of the detachment who were willing and unwilling to march he made signs with his hands to the men who were being asked, to say that they were not willing to march.

FINDING.

The Court finds that the prisoner, No. 1992, Private Moonisawmy, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is guilty of all the charges.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentences the prisoner, No. 1992, Private Moonisawmy, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), to be imprisoned with hard labor for one (1) year.

Signed at Bangalore, this sixteenth day of November 1889.

E. H. EYRE, Colonel,
*1st Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers),*
*President.*

CONFIRMED.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, Lieut.-Genl.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

Ootacamund,
*November 27th*, 1889.

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(3.) At a General Court Martial held at Bangalore on the 18th day of November 1889, under the provisions of the 97th Indian Article of War, No. 2378, Private Govindarajuloo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), was arraigned on the following charges:—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Using Criminal force to a superior officer under circumstances in which the superior officer is distinguishable as such,

in that,

at Trichinopoly, on the 3rd day of October 1889, he used criminal force to Lieutenant Charles Tarrant Swan of the same Regiment, his superior officer and who at the time was distinguishable as such, by striking him with his clenched fist behind the right ear.

*Second Charge.*—Joining a mutiny in a detachment,

in that,

at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, when one of a detachment of his Regiment under orders to proceed to the Peryar, he with other sepoys left the ranks when fallen in to march and on being spoken to by Subadar Sungalee of his Regiment he said "if prisoner Wondimoothoo is released we will go, if not we will not go," or words to that effect, the said Wondimoothoo being a Private in the Regiment who had been made a prisoner by order of the Officer Commanding the Regiment.

*Third Charge.*—Being grossly insubordinate to his superior officer in the execution of his office,

in that,

at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, he said to his superior officer in the execution of his office, Subadar Sungalee of the same Regiment, "we want the prisoner released and wont march until he comes, if Wondimoothoo is released we will go if not we will not go," the said Wondimoothoo being a Private in the regiment who had been confined by order of his commanding officer.

Finding.

The Court finds that the prisoner, No. 2378, Private Govindarajuloo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is guilty of all the charges.

Sentence.

The court sentences the prisoner, No. 2378, Private Govindarajuloo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), to suffer transportation for the term of ten (10) years.

Signed at Bangalore this eighteenth day of November 1889.

E. H. EYRE, Colonel,
1st *Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers),*
*President.*

Confirmed.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, Lieut.-Genl.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

Ootacamund,
*November 27th,* 1889.

(4) At a General Court Martial held at Bangalore on the 19th day of November 1889, under the provisions of the 97th Indian Article of War, No. 2087, Private Chelmiah Naidoo, 4th Regiment, Madras Infantry (Pioneers) was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Joining a mutiny in a detachment,

in that,

at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, when one of a detachment of his Regiment under orders to proceed to the Peryar he with other Sepoys left the ranks when fallen in to march and on being spoken to by Subadar Sungalee of the Regiment, he said "if prisoner Wondimoothoo is released we will go if not we will not go," or words to that effect, the said Wondimoothoo being a Private in the Regiment, who had been made a prisoner by order of the Officer Commanding the Regiment.

*Second Charge*—Being grossly insubordinate to his superior officer in the execution of his office,

in that,

at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, he said to his superior officer in the execution of his office, Subadar Sungalee of the same Regiment, "We want the prisoner released and wont march until he comes, if Wondimoothooo is released we will go, if not, we will not go," the said Wondimoothoo being a Private in the Regiment, who had been confined by order of his Commanding Officer.

FINDING.

The Court finds that the prisoner, No. 2087, Private Chelmiah Naidoo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is guilty of the first charge, and guilty of the second charge with the exception that the words used were not exactly those set forth in the charge but words to that effect.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentences the prisoner, No. 2087, Private Chelmiah Naidoo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), to be imprisoned with hard labor for three (3) years.

Signed at Bangalore this nineteenth day of November 1889.

E. H. EYRE, COLONEL,
*1st Regiment Madras Infantry (Poineers),*
*President.*

CONFIRMED.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, LIEUT.-GENL.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

OOTACAMUND,
*November 27th*, 1889.

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(5.) At a General Court Martial held at Bangalore, on the 20th day of November 1889, under the provisions of the 97th Indian Article of War, No. 1226, Private Mahomed Oosman, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Exciting a mutiny in a detachment,
in that,
at Trichinopoly, on the 3rd day of October 1889, he excited a mutiny in a Detachment of his Regiment under orders for the Peryar by calling out to the men of the detachment who were about to enter a train at the Railway Station, "They are taking Wondimoothoo away as a prisoner, come we will go too. Let no one get into the carriages, all come, they have confined Wondimoothoo, we will get him released," or words to that effect, the said Wondimoothoo being a Private in the Regiment and having been made a prisoner by order of his Commanding Officer.

*Second Charge.*—Exciting a mutiny in a detachment,
in that,
at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, he excited a mutiny in a Detachment of his Regiment proceeding to the Peryar by saying to certain men of the detachment, "He, a family man is caught, if he is released, we will go to the Peryar" referring to Private Wondimoothoo of his Regiment who had been made a prisoner on the previous day by order of his Commanding Officer.

FINDING.

The Court finds that the prisoner, No. 1226, Private Mahomed Oosman, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is guilty of all the charges.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentences the prisoner, No. 1226, Private Mahomed Oosman, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers) to be imprisoned with hard labor for four (4) years.

Signed at Bangalore this twentieth day of November 1889.

E. H. EYRE, COLONEL,
*1st Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers),*
*President.*

CONFIRMED.

(Signed.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, LIEUT.-GENL.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

OOTACAMUND,
*November 27th*, 1889.

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(6) At a General Court Martial held at Bangalore on the 22nd day of November 1889, under the provisions of the 97th Indian Article of War, No. 1545, Private Lazar, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), was arraigned on the following charges :—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Joining a mutiny in a detachment,
in that,
at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, when one of a detachment of his regiment under orders to march to the Peryar, he, with other sepoys of the detachment left the ranks without permission or lawful excuse after having fallen in to march.

*Second Charge.*—Exciting a mutiny in a detachment,
in that,
at Ammayanayakanur, on the 4th day of October 1889, when one of a detachment of his Regiment under orders to march to to the Peryar, whilst Subadar Sungalee of the same Regiment was taking down the names of the men of the detachment who were willing and unwilling to march, he excited the men of the detachment to mutiny by signs and by gesticulating and shouting, thereby intending to incite them not to march.

FINDING.

The Court finds that the prisoner, No. 1545, Private Lazar, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is guilty of the first charge, not guilty second charge.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentences the prisoner, No. 1545, Private Lazar, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), to be imprisoned with hard labor for one (1) year.

Signed at Bangalore this twenty-second day of November 1889.

E. H. EYRE, COLONEL,
*1st Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers),*
*President.*

CONFIRMED.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, LIEUT.-GENL.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

OOTACAMUND,
*November 27th,* 1889.

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The sentences to be carried into effect under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Southern District.

The foregoing extracts to be read to all Native Troops in the Madras Army.

By Order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

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*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*29th November* 1889.

**No. 520.**—At a Native General Court Martial assembled at Bangalore, on the 15th day of November 1889, No. 1240, Private Wondimoothoo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), was arraigned on the following charges:—

CHARGES.

*First Charge.*—Disobeying the lawful command of his superior officer,

in that,

at Trichinopoly, on the 3rd day of October 1889, he disobeyed the lawful command of his superior officer Lieutenant Charles Robert Keate, Adjutant of the Regiment, to be silent by not being silent and by continuing to shout and create a disturbance.

*Second Charge.*—Disobeying the lawful command of his superior officer,

in that,

at Trichinopoly, on the 3rd day of October 1889, he disobeyed the lawful command of his superior officer Lance Naigue Abdul Soohan to "right about turn" by not turning to the right about as ordered.

*Third Charge.*—Being grossly insubordinate to his superior officer in the execution of his office,

in that,

at Trichinopoly, on 3rd day of October 1889, he said to Colonel James Herbert Marsh Barnett, his superior officer in the execution of his office, "This is tyranny, take me to make my complaint to the General, I will complain to the General" or words to that effect.

*Fourth Charge.*—An offence not punishable with death, and not specified in the Indian Articles of War, 7 to 69, both inclusive, prejudicial to good order and Military discipline,

in that,

at Trichinopoly, on the 3rd day of October 1889, when ordered to be made a prisoner by Lieutenant Charles Robert Keate, Adjutant of the Regiment he shouted out in a grossly insubordinate manner "I have been ordered to be confined I have been confined, you sepoys retire, retire," or words to that effect.

FINDING.

The Court finds that the prisoner, No. 1240, Private Wondimoothoo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), is guilty of all the charges.

SENTENCE.

The Court sentences the prisoner No. 1240, Private Wondimoothoo, 4th Regiment Madras Infantry (Pioneers), to imprisonment with hard labor for three (3) years.

Signed at Bangalore this fifteenth day of November 1889.

SHAIK AMEER, SUBADÁR-MAJOR, BAHADUR,
*25th Madras Infantry,*
*President.*

CONFIRMED.

(Sd.) C. G. ARBUTHNOT, LIEUT.-GENL.,
*Commander-in-Chief,*
*Madras Army.*

OOTACAMUND,
*27th November* 1889.

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The sentence to the carried into effect under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Southern District.

The foregoing extract to be read to all Native Troops in the Madras Army.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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# GENERAL ORDERS

BY

# HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

*Head Quarters, Ootacamund,*
*6th December* 1889.

**No. 521.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 8th and 12th November 1889 were received at Army Head Quarters on the 4th instant.

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**No. 522.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalions specified against their names, provided the public be put to no expense by the arrangement :—

*Norfolk Regiment.*

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| Lieutenant W. R. Inglis | ... 2nd Battalion. |
| ,, G. Head ... | ... 1st Battalion. |

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**No. 523.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the undermentioned officers are permitted to exchange to the battalions specified against their names, provided the public be put to no *additional* expense by the arrangement :—

*The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*

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| Captain R. J. Wilbraham | ... 2nd Battalion. |
| ,, S. Custance ... | ... 1st Battalion. |

2. Captain Wilbraham will proceed to England and join the 2nd Battalion of his Regiment, at the public expense, under para. 226, Part I and para. 518, Part II, Army Regulations, India, Volume X.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 524.**—*Class No.* 2.—The undermentioned officers and non-commissioned officers having passed an examination in Army Signalling, according to the prescribed test, are qualified as Instructors and Assistant Instructors respectively :—

*Certificates dated 22nd October* 1889.

| Corps. | Regtl No. | Rank and Name. | | Qualified as. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 7th Hussars ... | ... | Lieutenant | Hon. J. G. H. H. Beresford | Instructor. |
| 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | ... | 2nd Lieut. | R. C. R. Owen ... | do. |
| 7th Hussars ... | 2949 | Lce.-Corpl. | W. Whitworth ... | Assistant Instructor |
| 21st ,, ... | 2375 | Corporal ... | B. Osborne ... | do. |
| Do. ... | 2549 | do. ... | F. H. Cottam ... | do. |
| 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment. | 1824 | do. ... | G. Moore ... | do. |
| Do. ... | 764 | do. ... | G. Cooper ... | do. |
| 2nd Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment | 1245 | do. ... | G. Bulley ... | do. |
| Do. ... | 1084 | do. ... | C. Negus ... | do. |
| 2nd Battalion Leicestershire Regiment. | 820 | Lce.-Corpl. | G. Wheeler ... | do. |
| 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment. | 1295 | do. ... | S. Conway ... | do. |
| Do. ... | 1774 | do. ... | G. Hailwood ... | do. |
| 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. | 713 | Corporal ... | A. Connell ... | do. |
| 2nd Battalion Oxfordshire Light Infantry. | 1491 | do. ... | E. Champion ... | do. |
| 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade. | 6311 | Lce.-Corpl. | G. Knight ... | do. |
| Do. ... | 8907 | do. ... | A. Brown ... | do. |

**No. 525.**—The non-commissioned officers named below have been awarded silver medals for "long service and good conduct" *without gratuity* under the provisions of Articles 1165 to 1183, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I:—

P. M. G. Nos. 7855 and 8145, dated 12th and 25th November 1889, respectively

Company Sergeant Major Edwin Austin Rundle, "Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.

1st Class Sergeant Instructor Percy Thomas Wood, Burma State Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

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**No. 526.**—Under instructions received from the Horse Guards Lieutenant W. M. Grover, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed from Bellary to Umballa, to join Q Battery Royal Horse Artillery, to which he has been appointed.

Under para. 513 (*k*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 527.**—Lieutenant T. E. W. Bidgood, Royal Artillery, is directed to proceed from Madras to Trimulgherry, for duty with the 79th Field Battery Royal Artillery, as a temporary measure.

Under para. 513 (*k*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 528.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*9th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. W. A. Firth, wing officer (on probation), sub. *pro tem.*, to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Lieutenant W. A. F. Burn deceased.

2nd Lieutenant G. L. P. Clarke, 1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment, to be officiating wing officer, and, with the sanction of Government, a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 27th November 1889.

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. D. Sandford, wing officer, sub. *pro tem.*, to be wing officer, *vice* Lieutenant Hudson deceased, remaining attached to the 33rd Regiment Madras Infantry, until futher orders.

*14th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant S. Geoghegan, Royal Irish Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 22nd November 1889.

*30th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant E. R. Foord, Royal Irish Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 17th November 1889.

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**No. 529.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*"Queen's Own" Sappers and Miners.*—On return from furlough Lieutenant J. A. Dealy, Royal Engineers, to be attached to the corps as officiating company commander, No. 3 Company at Secunderabad.

*22nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. H. Johnson, wing officer, 22nd Regiment Madras Infantry, and at present doing duty with the 10th Regiment Madras Infantry, is directed to rejoin his own regiment. On duty at the public expense, under para. 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon W. P. Feltham, doing duty Madras District, to report himself to the Principal Medical Officer, Chin Field Force, Rangoon. To travel at the public expense, under paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 530.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 13th November* 1889.

Attention is invited to Army Order No. 361, dated 1st September 1889, amending the regulations for the "Retirement of Officers and pensions and compassionate allowances."

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Attention is invited to Army Order No. 362, dated 1st September 1889, amending the regulations for the "Retirement of General Officers and Colonels."

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Attention is invited to Army Order No. 366, dated 1st September 1889, regarding the "Voluntary Retirement of Combatant Officers."

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 18th November* 1889.

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Lieutenant-Colonel A. Chaplin, Assistant Judge Advocate General, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Judge Advocate General, *vice* Colonel Hughes-Hallett on furlough. Dated 18th September 1889.

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**No. 531.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished:—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 22nd November* 1889.

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559. The undermentioned is reported to have passed the required examination in Arabic according to the Higher Standard:—

The Rev. J. Dobie, B.D., Assistant Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Madras Establishment.

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**No. 532.**—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England:—

*1st Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. B. Jervis-Edwards, for 10 months, from 25th January 1890 or subsequent date of departure, on urgent private affairs.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
Adjutant-General.

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*Addendum.*—To so much of G.O.C. No. 488 of 1889, as refers to Conductor M. Shea, Barrack Department, *add*:—The first 90 days, on full pay and allowances, under Articles 633 and 898, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*13th December* 1889.

**No. 533.**—Major F. C. Maltby, 16th Madras Infantry, at present doing duty with the 2nd Madras Infantry, is directed to rejoin his own regiment at Secunderabad. Travelling on duty at the public expense, under para. 513 (*b*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

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**No. 534.**—The leave granted Lieutenant-Colonel F. H. Trevithick, Commandant, Madras Railway Volunteers, by G.O.G. No. 164 of 1888 and G.O.C. No. 182 of 1889, is extended up to the 23rd November 1889.

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**No. 535.**—Intimation has been received from the Horse Guards of the following posting and appointment of Royal Artillery Officers :—

Captain A. S. Tyndale-Biscoe, just promoted to that rank from N Battery Royal Horse Artillery, has been posted to the 5th Field Battery.

Lieutenant E. C. Cameron, No. 13 Battery Western Division, has been appointed to N Battery Royal Horse Artillery.

**No. 536.**—The undermentioned officer has passed the Transport Departmental examination under the provisions of paras. 1808 and 1810, Army Regulations, India, Volume V, Supplement as modified by clause 80, India Army Circulars of 1888 :—

Lieutenant E. W. Margesson, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment.

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**No. 537.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Lower Standard test in Hindustani :—

*Rangoon, 19th October* 1889.

Gunner A. Baldwin, No. 20 Battery Southern Division Royal Artillery.

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**No. 538.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*District Staff.*—Captain G. A. P. Evans, 7th Hussars, Station Staff Officer, Bellary, to officiate as District Staff Officer, 2nd Class, Belgaum, *vice* Captain Prichard on furlough. Dated 3rd December 1889.

*2nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant G. M. Morris, officiating wing officer (on probation), 16th Regiment Madras Infantry, and at present attached to the regiment is transferred in the same capacity.

*5th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant H. I. L'Estrange, officiating wing officer (on probation), 3rd Regiment Light Infantry, and at present attached to the regiment is transferred in the same capacity.

*19th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant A. M. Anderson, officiating wing officer (on probation), 14th Regiment Madras Infantry, is transferred in the same capacity. On duty at the public expense, under clause (*j*), para. 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

*20th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant A. W. N. Taylor, wing officer, to be Quarter Master.

*32nd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant E. E. Beddek, officiating wing officer (on probation), 11th Regiment Madras Infantry, and at present attached to the regiment is transferred in the same capacity.

*33rd Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant W. H. Brown, Royal West Kent Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be officiating wing officer (on probation). Dated 2nd December 1889.

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**No. 539.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*12th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant C. D. Sandford, wing officer, 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, at present doing duty with the 33rd Regiment Madras Infantry, to rejoin his own regiment for duty. To travel at the public expense, under para. 513 (*j*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Part II.

*Army Veterinary Department.*—Veterinary Surgeon E. Taylor,* doing duty Station Veterinary Hospital, Secunderabad, to do duty Upper Burma, under the orders of the General Officer Commanding Burma District, on being relieved by Veterinary Surgeon Lawson.

Veterinary Surgeon E. J. Lawson, on arrival from England, on leave on medical certificate, to do duty Station Veterinary Hospital, Secunderabad.

* To travel at the public expense, under clauses (*e*) and (*j*), paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

**No. 540.**—The following extract from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, is republished:—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Poona, 29th November* 1889.

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567. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troopship "Malabar," on or about the 17th December 1889:—

| Corps or Batteries. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Staff. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. Wives. | Officers' Families. Children. | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Horses. Officers. | Destination. | Remarks |
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| 1st K. O. Scottish Borderers... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (a) | |
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| 2nd Bedfordshire Regiment ...... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 102 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Secunderabad | |
| 1st Norfolk Regiment ............ | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (a) | |
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| Various ........................ | | 33 | | | 5 | 3 | 3 | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 17 | ... | (a) | |

(a) To join as ordered.

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**No. 541.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*Madras Railway Volunteers.*—Honorary Colonel F. B. Hanna, to Europe, for 18 months, on urgent private affairs.

*Medical Staff.*—Brigade-Surgeon F. Howard, M.D., to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
*20th December* 1889.

**No. 542.**—It is notified for information that the *London Gazettes* of the 15th and 19th November 1889 were received in the Adjutant General's Office on the 14th instant, and those of the 22nd and 26th November 1889, on the 19th instant.

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**No. 543.**—It is notified that Honorary Commissioned and Warrant officers on the Madras Establishment, who desire to place themselves under the Furlough and Leave Rules promulgated in Special Army Circular, India, dated 8th November 1889, should forward their applications through the prescribed channel to the Adjutant General, Ootacamund.

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**No. 544.**—Officers Commanding Mounted Corps are directed in future to denude all unserviceable accoutrements, harness, and saddlery and line gear, of their mountings (particularly body rollers of the iron tinned loops), before handing such articles over to the Commissariat Department for sale, and to return the mountings so recovered to the nearest arsenal consigning them as old iron, steel, &c., as the case may be.

2. The above will not in any way interfere with the instructions contained in paras. 52 and 101, Army Regulations, India, Volume III, Equipment, regarding the submission of applications on India Order Forms 272 or 290 to the Inspector General of Ordnance for sanction to dispose of such stores.

**No. 545.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to announce that, with the sanction of Government, a Soldiers' Industrial Exhibition will be held at Bangalore about the month of September 1890, immediately after the conclusion of the annual meeting of the Southern India Rifle Association. The precise date will be notified hereafter.

2. The Central committee of management will be appointed by the General officer commanding, Bangalore District, who will also nominate the Honorary Secretary.

3. Rules and instructions for the Exhibition will be drawn up by the committee and published in general orders, and two additional copies thereof will be sent to each regiment, battalion, and battery serving in the Madras Presidency, including Burma.

4. On receipt of the rules, &c., Regimental committees will be at once formed in every corps, British and Native, to act in concert and direct communication with the Central committee and to aid and encourage their men in contributing to the Exhibition.

5. The names of officers serving on Regimental committees will be sent to

"The Honorary Secretary,
Soldiers' Industrial Exhibition,
Bangalore."

6. State assistance to the extent sanctioned in articles 1206 and 1207, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I, will be given.

7. Subscription lists will be circulated by the committee, and Sir Charles Arbuthnot hopes that the sums thus collected, together with the liberal aid afforded by Government, will amply suffice to ensure the success of the Exhibition.

8. It should be explained to the men that the Exhibition is not confined to the products of regimental workshops, but that prizes will be awarded for articles displaying skill or ingenuity in every branch of industry. The only restrictive condition is that the articles must be *bonâ fide*, the work of soldiers, or of their families; the latter should be specially encouraged to contribute.

9. Only such number of men, from each corps as may be fixed by the Central committee, will be permitted to accompany the articles sent for Exhibition.

(Quarter Master General.)

**No. 546.**—The allotment of time-expired details, &c., from each District in the Madras Command for the Troopships of the present season, having been notified by the Quarter Master General, the following instructions, in addition to those contained in G. O. C. No. 355, dated 30th August 1889, are issued for the guidance of all concerned, in the movement of details, &c., to the port of embarkation.

Quarter Master General's Circular No. 3121-A, dated 23rd September 1889.

2. As it is essential that the accommodation in each Troopship should be utilised to the fullest extent, General Officers Commanding Districts are requested to take steps to ensure the full numbers of time-expired details, &c., allotted from their Commands, especially as regards families being despatched on due dates to Deolali. Should any of the men or families detailed, be unable from any cause to proceed for embarkation, others entitled to passage home should be sent in place of them, so as to make up the numbers allotted from each Command.

3. All men, women and children, excepting insanes, for whom separate rules are laid down in the Discharge Regulations, not provided for in the Troopships' distribution, whose destination is the United Kingdom, and who are entitled to passage at the public expense, should be sent to Deolali.

4. As the regularity of the Indian troop service entirely depends upon the manner in which the instructions on the matter are carried out, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief desires that General Officers Commanding Districts will take every precaution, in issuing all necessary subsidiary orders, to ensure the uninterrupted progress of the several parties to their destination.

Special attention is accordingly invited to clauses I and V of G.O.C. No. 355, dated 30th August 1889.

5. Warrant Officers proceeding home, who have not already been allotted passage, will not be permitted to embark without sanction from the Quarter Master General in India, obtained through the Quarter Master General, Ootacamund.

6. Passages for departmental non-commissioned officers will be arranged for by the General Officer Commanding the District in which the men are serving, in *direct* communication with the General Officer Commanding at Bombay.

7. According to present returns, there are no troops for allotment to the 11th Troopship.

**No. 547.**—Under instructions from the Horse Guards, 2nd Lieutenants C. E. Green and H. M. Biddulph, The Rifle Brigade, are directed to proceed from Rangoon to Bareilly, to join the 1st Battalion of their Regiment to which they have been transferred. Under para. 223, clause (*i*), and para. 513, clause (*k*), Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

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**No. 548.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster, Havildar Mahomed Ali Khan of the 31st Regiment Light Infantry, temporarily transferred to the Depôt of the 6th Regiment Madras Infantry at Bellary, in G.O.C. No. 230, dated 8th June 1888, will rejoin his own Corps on public grounds. To join.

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**No. 549.**—3rd Class Army Schoolmaster, Private No. 1709, Hussain Khan of the 16th Regiment Madras Infantry, attached to the 12th Regiment Madras Infantry, in G.O.C. No. 86, dated 22nd February 1889, is temporarily transferred to the 10th Regiment Madras Infantry, on public grounds. To join.

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**No. 550.**—The following men are appointed 3rd Class Army Schoolmasters :—

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| Naigue No. 3493, Mahomed Salar | ...12th Regiment Madras Infantry. |
| ,, No. 3665, Nursingh Bon | ...19th ,, ,, |
| Lance-Naigue No. 604, Goolam Dustaghir ... ... | ...24th ,, ,, |
| Private No. 2269, Appulsawmy | ... 6th ,, ,, |
| ,, No. 2032, Abdulla Sheriffe | ... 4th Pioneers. |
| Naigue No. 3486, Abdul Russool | ...12th Regiment Madras Infantry. |
| ,, No. 3491, Abdul Samad | ...12th ,, ,, |
| Private No. 130, Mahomed Khan | ... 4th (P. W. O.) Light Cavalry. |

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**No. 551.**—The undermentioned candidates are reported to have passed in Hindustani according to the test specified opposite their names :—

*Madras, 2nd December* 1889.

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| Lieutenant C. L. O. Reid, Staff Corps... | ... Higher Standard. |
| Lieutenant T. E. W. Bidgood, Royal Artillery | ... Lower Standard. |

**No. 552.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*8th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant H. A. P. Lindsay, 1st West India Regiment, who has been appointed a direct probationer for the Staff Corps, to be wing officer (on probation), sub. *pro tem.* Dated 29th November 1889.

Lieutenant M. R. Hurly, wing officer (on probation), sub. *pro tem*, to be wing officer (on probation), *vice* Lieutenant Harries, permanently appointed to the Punjab Frontier Force.

*27th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—Lieutenant F. N. Burton, officiating wing officer, to be wing officer, (sub. *pro tem.*), *vice* Lieutenant Henegan, seconded for employment with the Burma Military Police, remaining attached to the 3rd Light Infantry for study.

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**No. 553.**—The following extracts from general orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, are republished :—

*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 23rd November* 1889.

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Notification has been received from the Horse Guards that Colonel A. Peel, 7th Hussars, will be placed on half pay on the 19th December 1889, on completing six years' service as Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, and he is accordingly permitted to proceed to England on or after that date, travelling at the public expense, under India Army Regulations, Vol. X, Part I, para. 223 (*c*), and Part II, para. 512 (*r*).

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The undermentioned passed the Lower Standard in Hindustani on the 7th October 1889:

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| Lieutenant F. W. Daniel | ... | Bedfordshire Regiment (probationer Bengal Staff Corps). |

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| 2nd Lieut. W. Beadon ... | 1st Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers. |

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The undermentioned passed the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani on the 7th October 1889, under the provisions of India Army Circulars, clause 129 of 1888 :

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| 2nd Lieut. E. G. Vaughan ... | Bedfordshire Regiment (probationer Bengal Staff Corps). |

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*Military Works Department.*

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Captain M. Nathan, Royal Engineers, is transferred from the Head Quarters of the Inspector General of Military Works to the Rangoon Defence Division, temporarily.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 28th November* 1889.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the attention of Commanding Officers is directed to section 21, para. 39, Queen's Regulations, as instances have lately occurred where Commanding Officers have neglected to inform the next of kin, of the death of a soldier.

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In continuation of G. O. C. C.,† page 508 of 1889, upon the subject of British soldiers' non-effective accounts, the attention of officers commanding corps is called to the fact that the ledger sheets which have accompanied applications for the refund of the unrecovered debts of soldiers who have become non-effective, have, in very many instances, been found to be very incomplete.

† G.O.C. No. 517 of 1889, page 382.

2. The following points must be carefully attended to:

(1) The number of days' pay, good conduct pay, grocery, ration and hospital stoppages, &c., must be correctly entered as shown in the monthly muster rolls of corps sent to the Pay Examiner's Office for audit.

(2) Soldiers must not be charged with gross pay during periods of imprisonment, in addition to the stoppage for groceries for the same period, which results in a double charge for groceries.

(3) Charges for extra messing, cooking, washing, &c., must be detailed so as to enable the Pay Examiner's Office to check them; the number of days and rate should be entered in all cases of broken periods.

(4) Charges from other corps or other companies to be fully detailed so that the cooking, washing and other similar items can be separated from cash payments.

(5) The prices charged for necessaries to agree with those laid down in the India Army Circular on the subject for the year in which issued (with 3 per cent. added).

(6) The dates on which miscellaneous charges are received against soldiers must be always stated; and not merely the last day of the month as is now done.

3. Commanding Officers are requested to be good enough to cause ledger sheets which are intended to accompany applications of the nature in question to be thoroughly scrutinized in the Paymaster's Office before the application is submitted to Army Head Quarters, in view to those documents reaching the Pay Examiner's Office in as complete a state as possible and thus save the frequent references for further information which now takes place.

4. Commanding Officers will also, in forwarding such applications, be good enough to give the very fullest explanation of the circumstances under which necessaries, clothing and bedding were issued to a soldier while in debt, in prison or guard-room, &c.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Simla, 4th December* 1889.

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The following correction will be made in revised secs. XV. Army Regulations, India, Vol. II, promulgated by G. O. C. C.,† dated 12th September 1889, page 408.

Para. 1848-B, clause (q), is revised as follows :

" Cards and dice are allowed in the refreshment department (para. 1875), except in the liquor bar, gambling of every description is forbidden."

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**No. 554.**—In anticipation of the sanction of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, the undermentioned officer is granted leave to England :—

*21st Hussars.*—Major R. H. Martin, for one year, from 9th February 1890 or subsequent date of departure, on private affairs.

† G.O.C. No. 422 of 1889, page 320.

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*Adjutant General's Office, Ootacamund,*
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**No. 555.**—It has again been brought to the notice of the Commander-in-Chief that the documents of men sent to Convalescent Depôts are received in a very incomplete state thereby causing much inconvenience and unnecessary correspondence, also that their Defaulter Sheets are not verified as required by S.G.O. No. 120 of 1887.

His Excellency directs that on the departure of men for Convalescent Depôts Commanding Officers concerned report for the information of General Officers Commanding that all documents have been completed in every respect.

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**No. 556.**—It having been brought to notice that the necessity for avoiding the mixing up of loaded cartridges with empty cases when returning the latter into Arsenals and Depôts, has been lost sight of, the attention of Officers Commanding Corps is invited to G. O. C. No. 75 of 1888, page 42, the instructions contained in which should be strictly adhered to.

**No. 557.**—The undermentioned candidate is reported to have passed the Elementary Standard in Burmese :—

*Mandalay, 4th and 5th November* 1889.

1st Grade Assistant Apothecary E. Peacock, Subordinate Medical Department.

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**No. 558.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to make the following appointments :—

*Station Staff.*—Lieutenant E. W. Carrick, 13th Regiment Madras Infantry, to be Station Staff Officer, Meiktila, without prejudice to his other duties, no qualified officer being available for the Station Staff duties alone, *vice* Lieutenant R. J. Strachey, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade relieved. Dated 1st December 1889.

*26th Regiment Madras Infantry.*—2nd Lieutenant A. B. Dew, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be officiating wing officer and with the sanction of Government a probationer for the Staff Corps. Dated 16th December 1889.

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**No. 559.**—The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings :—

*Medical Staff.*—Surgeon Major J. B. Kelly, Senior Medical Officer, Station Hospital Mandalay, to be Senior Medical Officer, South Station Hospital, Bangalore.

Surgeon-Major W. B. Slaughter, doing duty Secunderabad District, to be Senior Medical Officer, Station Hospital, Mandalay.

To travel at the public expense under paras. 174 and 513, Army Regulations, India, Volume X, Parts I and II, respectively.

*Indian Medical Service.*—Surgeon G. C. Hall, returned from leave, to do duty Madras District.

**No. 560.**—The following extracts from Army Orders by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, Bombay, are republished :—

*Adjutant-General's Office, Head Quarters, Poona, 13th December* 1889.

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595. The undermentioned Troops are expected to arrive at Bombay in H. M.'s Indian Troopship "Crocodile," on or about the 2nd January 1890 :—

| Corps or Batteries. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | Warrant Officers and Class 15. | N. C. Os., Classes 16 and 17. | N. C. Os., Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters or Drummers. | Rank and File. | Officers' Families. Wives. | Officers' Families. Children. | Female Servants. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Destination. | Remarks. |
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| 1st Norfolk Regiment ............... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 40 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 3 | Wellington. | |
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| 1st Cheshire Regiment ...... ..... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 26 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 1 | Rangoon. | |
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| Royal Artillery ................. | 3 | 1 | 7 | ... | 1 | 6 | 1 | 293 | 2 | ... | ... | 8 | 9 | *Vide* subjoined list† | |
| Various .............. | 40 (Field Officers, Captains and Subalterns) | | | 2 | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11 | 7 | (*a*) | |

(*a*) To join as ordered.

† Statement of Royal Artillery Drafts, &c., proceeding to India in H. M.'s Troopship "Crocodile," expected to arrive in Bombay on or about the 2nd January 1890.

| BATTERY. | Field Officers. | Captains. | Subalterns. | N. C. O.'s, Class 17. | N. C. O.'s, Classes 18 and 19. | Trumpeters. | Rank and File. | Officers' Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Wives. | Soldiers' Families. Children. | Stations. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| R. H. A. M Battery ........... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1 | Secunderabad. |
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| R Battery ........... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 28 | ... | ... | ... | Bangalore. |
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| Royal Artillery. 38th Field Battery | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 29 | ... | ... | ... | Secunderabad. |
| 76th " ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | ... | ... | ... | Bellary. |
| 59th " ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 35 | ... | ... | ... | St. Thomas' Mount. |
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| 79th Field Battery | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Secunderabad. |
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| 22nd Eastern Division. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 10 | ... | ... | ... | Secunderabad. |
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| Various ..................... | 3 | 1 | 7 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | ... | (a) |

(a) To join as ordered.

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**No. 561.**—The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

*21st Hussars.*—Lieutenant D. Bowly, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*1st Battalion Cheshire Regiment.*—Captain A. G. H. Gardner, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

*Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.*—2nd Lieutenant A. Rea, from the 6th January 1890 to 31st May 1890. India. Private affairs.

*Army Veterinary Department.*—1st Class Veterinary Surgeon G. Durrant, to England, for 182 days, on medical certificate.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

M. C. FARRINGTON, Brigr.-Genl.,
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